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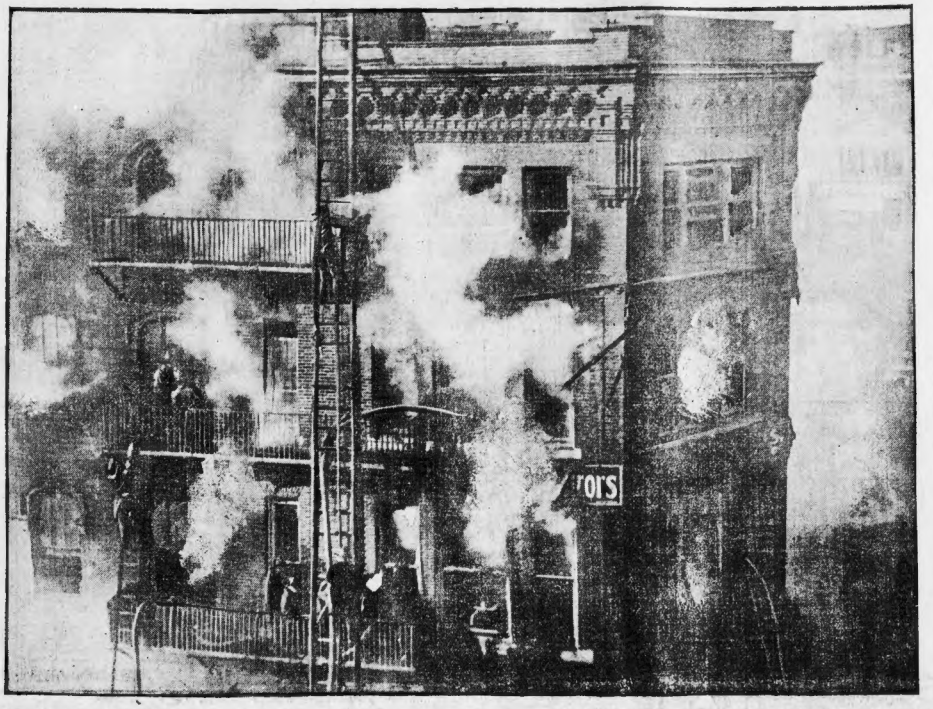

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THAW RAGES IN CELL

Countess of Yarmouth and Evelyn Thaw Hastily Summoned to Tombs to Calm Slayer of Stanford White—Enraged by Madhouse Threat.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, March 21.—In fear and high rage at the prospect of being sent to a madhouse, Harry K. Thaw spent a tumultuous morning in the Tombs to-day, and was only partially pacified by the influence of his sister, the Countess of Yarmouth.

No one could calm Thaw. Finally the Countess, who sways more influence over him than anyone else, not excepting his mother, was sent for peremptorily.

Accompanied by Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, she hastened to the Tombs and immediately was admitted into her brother's presence.

A night of sleeplessness and fretting had made Thaw as unstrung and petulant as a nervous child, but a half hour's conversation with the Countess calmed him somewhat. Before she left Thaw was in a more placid mood and ready to go into court to hear Justice Fitzgerald's ruling on the appointment of a lunacy commission.

CRAIG WADSWORTH ARRIVED.

Jerome's "missing witness," Craig Wadsworth, second secretary of the embassy in London, arrived here to-day aboard the Oceanic. The District Attorney had counted upon his getting here before this to testify as to certain episodes in London, in which he, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thaw and young Mrs. Thaw's mother were concerned.

It is said that Mrs. William Thaw, the defendant's mother, is pleased at the turn affairs have taken, for she knows that her son cannot now suffer death in the electric chair. The mother's view of the case is also said to be shared by the Countess of Yarmouth. The sister agrees with her mother that any fate for her brother is better than execution as a criminal.

MOTHER TO BE NEAR HIM.

Toronda, the beautiful and spacious Rowland estate, located in a suburb of Matteawan. It is believed will soon pass into the hands of Mrs. William Thaw.

It is mile from the Matteawan Asylum for the criminal insane, where Harry K. Thaw will be incarcerated in the event of a commission in lunacy being appointed and adjudging him incurably insane.

The devotion of the aged mother is carried to this extreme so that she can be near her son. There is a well-defined rumor that she has taken over the handsome estate for five years, with an option to purchase. The Rowland estate is owned by Mrs. Rowland, the widow of the General. It is beautifully situated, overlooking the Hudson, the grounds are handsomely laid out and the house, a large, old-fashioned structure, has of late been remodeled.

GLEASON STILL IN CHARGE?

It was reported to-day that Harry Thaw is preparing a history of his case and the trial, as it has appeared to him, to be submitted to Justice Fitzgerald as showing he has fully understood all the proceedings and is able to advise his counsel, but that his attorneys have decided not to allow the statement to get out of their own hands.

Dan O'Reilly, when questioned about the reported statement, said: "Well, I can't deny Thaw is preparing a statement, but I can say it will never be presented to the court or given to the newspapers."

Further evidence of disagreement among the Thaw lawyers cropped out to-day. Mr. Pike announced that his partner, Delmas, will not be in court to-day for the insanity proceedings. Harrington, Peabody and O'Reilly were all at the Tombs and the court house, but they showed little interest in the coming insanity hearing. One of the lawyers remarked significantly that Gleason is in charge of the case in its present phase.

Shows His Authority.

Gleason offered a display of his authority in the case when a reporter asked him to be allowed to make a photograph of Thaw's will. The reporter had secured a note from Lawyer Delmas asking that he be shown the will. Gleason curtly refused, saying: "I have Mr. Thaw's private papers in my possession, and neither Delmas, Mc-Pike, you or any one else can see them without my permission, and I refuse."

CUNARD AGENT HITS BACK AT B. & A. ROAD

SHOWS HOW TRANSPORTATION DELAY IS DUE TO RAILROAD INEFFICIENCY.

Agent Charles P. Sumner of the Cunard Steamship Company, who has squarely placed the fault for transportation delays with the Boston & Albany railroad, has stirred the whole water front of Boston. Emphatic approval of Mr. Sumner's stand is heard on every side. Vice-President Van Etten's charge that the trouble was due to the steamship agents is promptly denied by Mr. Sumner.

Seldom does the Cunard company come out with such a statement as that given by Mr. Sumner. Not only does he assert that the failure is due to the railroad in a general way, but he cited one striking instance where a cargo contracted for nearly eight weeks ago at Buffalo has not been moved. Yet Mr. Van Etten himself said that he could see no reason why the shipment could not be reasonably depended upon on time.

Mr. Sumner's Statement.

This is the Cunard company's statement made by Mr. Sumner:

"On January 25 I made an engagement of 40,000 bushels of grain for shipment by the Cunard steamship sailing March 5. The grain was then at Buffalo, and the Boston & Albany Railroad was given orders at once to bring the 40,000 bushels forward to meet our sailing five weeks later (March5).

"I took the precaution to write Mr. Van Etten January 29, calling his attention to the very ample time to move the grain to Boston to meet a sailing of March 5.

"The reply to my letter reads: 'I see no reason why you cannot reasonably depend upon this grain being here at the time spoken of.'

"Our steamer of March 5 sailed without the grain and with the space reserved for it empty.

"Our steamer of March 12 sailed and yet not a single bushel of this grain had arrived. Again March 19 we had a steamer sail without this grain, and several thousand tons vacant space to see.

Grain Still in Buffalo.

"So far as I can learn, the 40,000 bushels of grain is still in the railroad elevator at Buffalo.

"I am quite prepared to prove all the statements I have made in this interview.

One Example of B. & A.'s Prompt Freight Delivery

Jan. 25.—Arrangements made by Agent Sumner of the Cunard steamship line to ship 40,000 bushels of grain from Buffalo to Boston for March 5 sailing.

Jan. 29.—Agent Sumner writes Vice-President Van Etten of the Boston & Albany, calling attention to the shipment and asking that it be made within the five weeks allowed.

Mr. Van Etten replies: "I see no reason why you cannot reasonably depend upon this grain being here at the time spoken of."

March 5.—Steamer sails without the grain.

March 12.—Another steamer sails. No grain arrives from Buffalo.

March 19.—Third steamer sails. Space reserved for Buffalo shipment unfilled.

March 21.—The grain is still in the railroad elevator at Buffalo, so far as Agent Sumner can learn.

$1,000,000 FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA, March 21.—Fire destroyed more than $1,000,000 worth of property in the Atlantic refining works, Point Breeze, to-day.

Word was received arriving the exploding oil and the danger to surrounding property caused four alarms to be sounded.

A number of the employes of the concern were burned before the firemen got to work. The explosions hurled burning oil on the firemen, and many of them were so badly injured that they had to be taken to hospitals. The cause of the fire is a mystery.

EXPLOSION IN MINE KILLS 10

SERGEANT, Ky., March 21.—A report reached here to-day that ten miners were killed by an explosion in the Colonial mines near Dorchester.

CHARLES C. TWEED DIES AT NEW HAVEN

NEW HAVEN, Ct., March 21.—Charles C. Tweed, a son of "Boss" Tweed, died here to-day.

Fight Roaring Flames in Business Block.

FIREMEN IN PERIL

Several Hot-Air Explosions Menace Stubborn Work of the Department.

Fire caused a damage of about $130,000 in the building owned by the Davis estate at the corner of Hanover and Union streets at 7:17 o'clock this morning. Three alarms were sent in.

The stocks of the Monarch Clothing Company, the Primo Cigar Company, Bornstein Bros., picture frame manufacturers; S. Samuel, haberdasher; S. Dreyer, jeweler, and H. Uhn & Co., hatters and clothiers, were practically ruined.

The fifth floor was occupied by the Six Little Tailors as a workshop. They estimate their loss at $5,000.

Considerable water got into the store of Henry N. Clark, stove dealer, in an adjoining building, and caused a loss of about $5,000.

The losses are:

The Monarch Clothing Company, $20,000; the Primo Cigar Company, $5,000; S. Dreyer, $8,000; S. Samuel, $8,000; H. Uhn & Co., $9,000; Bornstein Bros., probably $50,000.

The damage to the building was about $10,000.

The fire started on the third floor, which, with the fourth floor, was occupied by Bornstein Bros.

CAR TRAFFIC SUSPENDED.

The second floor was burned out, and practically everything on it destroyed by flames. The damage done on the other floors was principally by smoke and water.

This is the third fire that has occurred in the building within a few months, and the State police will make a rigid investigation.

Two precious fires in the Davis Building were on the fourth floor. Both these fires were in the afternoon, and very little damage was done.

"When the next fire occurs," one of the tenants said after the second, "the entire building will probably be consumed."

During the progress of the fire the street car traffic on Hanover street had to be suspended, and hundreds of persons on their way to work left the cars and walked.

That the work of the firemen would not be impeded the power had to be shut off the trolley wires and some of the wires had to be cut.

SENDS IN THIRD ALARM.

The fire was discovered by Captain Kimball of Police Station 1 on Hanover street, who sent in an alarm at 7:17 o'clock.

Captain Kimball says that he was on the way to Station 1 when he was startled by an explosion. Turning in the direction whence it came, he continued on to the station, but within two minutes he saw flames shoot from the Davis building and rushed to the box and sent in an alarm.

Before the firemen arrived the flames were bursting through the windows on the second floor and shooting towards the top.

Realizing that the names would soon gain a headway which the apparatus which responds to one alarm could not control, Chief Mullen soon after his arrival sent in a second alarm and a few minutes later a third.

There were several hot air explosions after the firemen got to work, and the windows of the three upper stories were blown out. Some of the firemen narrowly escaped injury from falling glass.

Crowds outside the burning building soon became so dense that extra police had to be summoned from station 1.

For a time it looked as if the flames would spread to adjoining buildings, but several lines of hose which had been carried up fire escapes on the Union street side became quickly effective, and Chief Mullen became satisfied that he would be able to confine the fire to one building.

Morris G. Tuch, proprietor of the Monarch Clothing Company, says he cannot understand the cause of the blaze.

CHIEF MULLEN MYSTIFIED.

Chief Mullen says that there are many suspicious circumstances in connection with the fire, and he is going to furnish the State police with some information which may aid them in their investigation.

The Davis building was erected three years ago.

3 MEN FALL FORTY FEET IN ELEVATOR SHAFT

ONE HURT SO BADLY HE WILL PROBABLY DIE; THE OTHERS ALSO INJURED.

Three men were badly hurt, one probably fatally, to-day, through the breaking of ropes suspending a platform on which they were at work in the new building at No. 400 Newbury street, Back Bay.

The man probably fatally injured was Fred Germain, of Worcester, aged twenty-nine years, fractured ribs and internal injuries. He is at the City Hospital.

The others injured and who will recover, are: Gottfried Hanson of Worcester, aged twenty-five, left thigh broken; Raymond Green of Worcester, aged twenty, left ankle broken.

Hanson, Green and Germain are all employes of the Worcester Plunger Elevator Company which is installing an elevator plant in the new building. While the men were all at the top of the shaft forty feet from the ground the suspending ropes broke and the men fell to the bottom, landing in a heap.

Ambulances were at once telephoned for, and they came from Police Stations 16 and 4 and from the City Hospital. The three injured men were taken to the City Hospital.

Germain has not recovered consciousness from the time he fell. The surgeons do not think that he can recover.

FEAR FRIDAY FISH FAMINE

Boston is threatened with a fish famine of no small proportions. Only two shiploads of cod and haddock arrived from the Banks to-day, and prices soared from $3 a hundredweight to $5, $6 and even $7.50. Anxious retailers snapped up the only shipments offered on board the two vessels, leaving the market absolutely bare.

With the Lenten demand for sea food always large, and no shipments in sight for even the usual Friday trade, Boston fish merchants are considerably hampered.

The big gale of yesterday is supposed to have kept many fishing vessels from running into port, or even getting large enough catches to make the day's run to Boston market.

SMELTERS LEAD IN STOCK DROP

NEW YORK, March 21.—Stocks opened strong and active to-day with prices in general slightly better than the closing ones of last night. Almost immediately after the opening, however, heavy selling began, which carried the list down under the leadership of Smelters. The declines in the first five minutes ranged from ½ to 1¼ points.

Reading, Anaconda, B. R. T., St. Paul, Union Pacific and Pressed Steel opened up ¼, and St. Paul gained in all ½. Steel preferred gained ⅜. Erie and Southern Pacific were off 1; Pennsylvania, ⅝; Smelting and Canadian Pacific, ½, and Amalgamated, B. & O. and Louisville & Nashville ¼ lower. Agaigamated lost 1⅛ net and Reading declined 1¼ from the best.

Gleason Gave Jerome His Chance at Last

UNDID DELMAS' CAREFUL WORK

By Asking Alienist if Thaw Was Sane Now Made Opening for Commission.

THAW PALED AT ANSWER

BY
Dorothy Dix

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WITH tears in his eyes and his voice breaking with emotion, District Attorney Jerome halted the trial of Harry Thaw by an impassioned plea to the conscience of the court to stop what he characterized as the inhumanity of trying an insane man for his life.

The climax of the case, and the triumph of the District Attorney—for he has worked to this end ever since the beginning of the trial—came as suddenly as a flash of lightning out of a clear sky.

Instantly, as soon as Dr. Hamilton took his seat in the witness chair, an electric thrill ran through the room and a hundred rumors found voice. What did it mean?

First Question Brought Jerome to His Feet.

The truth was that the defence had taken the initiative in a desperate situation. It had somehow heard that at the end of Mr. Delmas's summing up the District Attorney proposed to ask for a lunacy commission on the evidence that the defence had itself produced of Thaw's mental condition on the night he slew White, and his calling of Dr. Hamilton was an effort to block this move to adding his testimony to that of the other alienists that the jurymen was really demented at the time he committed the crime. It was hoped that this testimony might be gotten in without permitting Dr. Hamilton to testify as to Thaw's mental condition at the present time.

Fallacious hope. The first question to the physician brought Mr. Jerome to his feet with a demand that if Dr. Hamilton had told anything of his visits to Thaw and what he learned there, any of the prisoner's mental state and his family's clinical history, he must tell all. Point by point Mr. Delmas fought our every technicality with him, and then suddenly, before anyone realized where things were drifting, the long-expected had happened.

Mr. Jerome was passionately asserting his belief that Thaw was crazy, that he was not able to consult with his counsel, and that if he was convicted under the circumstances, it would be nothing short of butchery to take his life—a butchery like that of McNaughton, who was convicted and executed in England while suffering

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Foul Odor of Indigestion, Smoking, Eating or Drinking Stopped at Once With Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges.

Trial Package To Prove It Sent Free.

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Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will put a stop to your bad, offensive breath, and to your belching. Whatever the cause or source, because the charcoal quickly absorbs all noxious, unnatural odors and gases.

If you suffer from indigestion, and belch gas as a result, Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will absorb all the gas and make your stop belching.

If on getting up in the morning you have such a bad, bilious breath, that you can almost smell it yourself, Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will get rid of it for you quickly.

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Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are made from pure willow charcoal, and just a little honey is put in to make them palatable, but not too sweet.

They will work wonders in your stomach, and make you feel fine and fresh. Your blood and breath will be purified. You will feel clean inside.

We want to prove all this to you, so just send for a free sample to-day. Then after you test it and use it, you will like them so well that you will go to your druggist and get a 25c box of these Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges.

Send us your name and address to-day and we will at once send you by mail a sample package free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 93 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

"I WANT VINDICATION; I AM NOT INSANE."—HARRY THAW

"I WANT vindication.

"A lunacy commission will not frighten me. It will decide that I am sane. But what I want is assurance that the men who have heard the evidence believe that I was justified.

—Statement by Harry K. Thaw to-day.

from paranoia, and that is one of the shames of civilization.

Efforts of Associates to Stop Gleason Vain.

Before Mr. Jerome was through speaking Mr. Gleason was on his feet, his face, which is ordinarily as livid as a corpse, flushed crimson with anger as he resented the District Attorney's charge of unprofessional conduct. In his hand was some bright steel instrument—a knife or pencil-covered pencil—that flashed like a dagger as he waved his arm up and down in excited gesture. Mr. Delmas from within the bar, titled, diplomatically to strike him on the shoulder, but Jerome himself; Dan O'Reilly sought in vain to stop him by murmured advice to sit down and keep cool; even dignified Mr. Peabody made a surreptitious grab at his coat tails, but all in vain. Mr. Gleason's fire was roused. He was bound to say his say and he did it.

Turning cheerfully and impressively to the witness stand he demanded the right to refute the District Attorney's charge out of the mouth of the witness. After much parley it was granted.

"Dr. Hamilton," he said, "before I have any chance to use any of my adjectives and arts of persuasion upon you, I want to ask you if, in your opinion, the defendant is itself

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MALDEN MAYOR GIVES WELCOME TO HEBREWS

LEADING CITIZENS OF CITY DENOUNCE THE ATTEMPT TO STIR UP CLASS PREJUDICE.

Leading Malden citizens, in statements to the BOSTON AMERICAN to-day, welcome Jewish citizens to Malden, and vigorously condemn John W. Young and William H. Wing, who have been leading a small minority in the fight against the extension of the elevated railroad to Malden via Everett on the ground that it will take a class of "undesirable Jews" to Malden.

Conservative Malden expresses regret that the unfortunate agitation has gone abroad that there is the slightest feeling against Hebrews or any other class of people.

Dr. Charles D. McCarthy, Mayor of Malden, feels that the attack upon the Jews by Messrs. Wing and Young and some of their following is unjustified.

"I believe that the Jews should be allowed in Malden as well as any other nationality," declared Mayor McCarthy to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day. "They make good citizens and are entitled to all the privileges that are accorded any other people."

Sustain Mayor's Position.

Malden Deliberative Assembly, before which Messrs. Wing and Young made their anti-Jewish declarations, agrees with Mayor McCarthy.

Interviews obtained by the BOSTON AMERICAN to-day show the feeling that really does exist among conservative Malden people.

Mayor McCarthy further said:

"I certainly do regret that this anti-Jewish agitation should have arisen. I do not believe that the attack upon them by the two gentlemen who made it was justified. All nationalities are welcome in Malden. Our only requirement is that they be

national and able to consult with counsel within the meaning of the law?"

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ARSON CASE IN HANDS OF JURY

The case of Alden H. Sherburne of Lowell, charged with arson, and also, in two counts with burning to defraud insurance companies, was given to the jury to-day by Judge Fox in the Middlesex County Superior Criminal Court. The prosecuting companies are the Phoenix Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Ct. and the Boston Fire Insurance Company.

The case arises from the burning of an automobile garage in Lowell, on November 16, 1905. Sherburne declares that he is the victim of spite on the part of Miss Norma Hill.

ASK FAIR TRIAL FOR MINERS

CALDWELL, Idaho, March 21.—The defence for Moyer and Haywood, miners accused of conspiracy in the killing of Governor Steunenberg, completed the last night a strong showing for a change of venue. Three days were devoted to reading from newspapers of articles against the accused, interviews with Governor Gooding and statements by private detectives, which the defence claims have influenced deeply people in the vicinity of Steunenburg. Following this showing six hundred affidavits, seven to by citizens of this county, were read to demonstrate that a fair and impartial jury could be obtained here.

Four men who procured these six hundred affidavits declare that they asked in the aggregate about 1,200 qualified citizens of Canyon County, who believe the defendants cannot get an impartial trial here.

This showing was controverted by Prosecutor Hawley, who presented twenty-five affidavits.

Attorney Nugent for the defence declared that it would be judicial murder to compel the defendants to go to trial in Canyon County, the home of Steunenburg.

MINISTER GOES WEST.

WORCESTER, March 21.—Rev. Samuel S. Dick of Trinity M. E. Church has accepted a call to the Wesley M. E. Church of Minneapolis.

$60 SHOE BILL BLOCKS WILL

An injunction was issued by Judge Fessenden of the Equity Session on Merits of the Superior Court to-day against Mrs. Fanny W. Willard of No. 4 Strathmore road, Brookline, restraining her from pro-bate proceedings in the matter of her husband's will.

The injunction was obtained on application of attorneys for the Henry H. Tuttle Company, shoe dealers, who have brought suit against Mrs. Brookline woman to recover for riding boots, bluchers, dancing pumps and other footwear to the value of over $60, alleged to have been sold to her.

SIX-BOUT SWORD DUEL.

PARIS, March 21. Six bouts were fought in a sword duel between Emmanuel Arene, Corsican Senator, and Adolphe Brisson, a journalist. Both were wounded.

SURROUND HOUSE OF SUSPECTED KIDNAPPER

RECOVERY OF STOLEN MARVIN BOY IN CHESTER, PA., HOURLY EXPECTED.

DOVER, Del., March 21.—While a detail of detectives surround the house of a suspect in Chester, Pa., where the stolen Marvin boy is believed to be held in custody, police officials and Pinkerton men are basking in the fact city to make identification positive before descent is made upon the house.

It is now believed to be a matter of hours only when the lad will be restored to his family and his captors will be in custody.

Roosevelt Sends Aid.

The authorities of Chester telephoned to the police here for instructions regarding the arrest of a man in Upland, a suburb of Chester, who, they declare, has the missing boy.

Meanwhile, however, the Dover police had been following the same clue and were amazed to learn that the Chester authorities were working on the same lines. That President Roosevelt has taken part in the search for the boy and that he will direct the great machinery of the Federal government in hunting down the kidnapers was made plain late last night by the arrival of two Secret Service agents.

Look for Sensation Soon.

"All I can say at the hour," declared Superintendent Dinaso, "is that this Chester clue fits in exactly with the negotiations that were being carried on by Dr. Marvin today, and we look for sensational developments at any moment. I will not tell at this time where Dr. Marvin passed the day. To do so before I learn of certain expected occurrences might ruin the best plans that have been made in regard to the recovery of the kidnapped boy."

The appearance of secret service men in Dover has aroused widespread interest.

It is supposed that they have been sent here by orders of the President to confer with Dr. Martin and to offer him the full services and the use of a revenue cutter if such should be desired. Members of the State Legislature who are still in the city declare that the President has taken steps to extend Federal aid to the search for the kidnapped boy.

At Senator Du Pont's dinner to the Republican members of the Legislature it was suggested that the Delaware Senator ask the President to assign a revenue cutter to search all sloops in Delaware Bay for the lost child.

It was not until last evening that it became definitely known that Dr. Marvin had left town. He talked with dozens of men early in the day, and said he was going to drive out to his farm. Those who called at the farm later in the day failed to find him, and then came a report from Wyoming that he had taken the train there.

PAWTUCKET STRIKERS ASK GOLDEN'S AID

PAWTUCKET, R. I., March 21.—The striking weavers of the Royal Weaving Company of Pawtucket and Central Falls have asked on John Golden of Fall River to come and form an organization.

He is expected here to-day to address a meeting of the men.

Up to last night there had been no arrests made for the assault of the night before on Paul Peterson. This occurred in front of the news store of John Sarsfield at High and Central streets, one of the busiest corners in the city, and Peterson was handled rather roughly. It is declared that he recognized his assailants, and that some reason no warrants were taken out up to last night.

Joseph Oti, agent of the mill, declares that he has no desire to treat further with the strikers, and they in turn say they want nothing more to do with Mr. Oti. A slight increase in wages has been made, and the strikers have refused to accept it. The Pawtucket mill on Central is now in shut down, and it is said that unless it will not be found to start up the looms in the Central Falls plant, that mill will also have to stop.

Another Pawtucket strike was started yesterday when about 100 employes of the United States Finishing Company left their places, and by their action several of the departments of the concern are crippled. The strikers include the blanketers in the machine room, the boys in the white room and the girls in the spooling room. The reason for the strike is that all of these employes want an increase of $1 a week in their pay. Some of them are receiving $6 per week, others $7 a week and as high as $8. The increase that they demand, however, is expected to affect all, regardless of the pay they now receive.

SUED FOR FALSE ARREST; WIN

PROVIDENCE, March 21.—A verdict for the defence was rendered by the jury in the suit of Lynton R. Newhall, son of Deputy United States Marshal Charles C. Newhall, against Policeman Charles H. Eaton and James A. Lee and Lieutenant of Police John J. Toole in the Superior Court yesterday afternoon when a suit for $2,000 for alleged false arrest. It took the jury about an hour and a half to find for the defendants.

At the opening of the day's proceedings the defence put on the stand several witnesses whose testimony tended to show that Patrolman Eaton used no greater force on Newhall than was necessary on the night of March 3, 1906, on the corner of Weybosset and Dorrance streets in his attempt to clear the street in order to permit the fire apparatus to move about freely.

TO REGULATE TRUSTS.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 21.—Governor Folk has called a special session of the Legislature for April 9 to enact legislation for the regulation of public corporations, enforce liquor laws and suppress gambling.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"

That is LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. Similarly named remedies sometimes deceive. The genuine Cold Tablet is in WHITE PACKAGE with black and red lettering and bears the signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.

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BOSTON AND NEW YORK

CITY MAY BUY FOTTLER ESTATE FOR ASYLUM

Dormant for ten years the proposition originated under Mayor Quincy's administration to buy the old Jacob Fotter estate on Canterbury street, Forest Hills, for an addition to the Boston Insane Hospital, has been revived and much progress is being made towards completing the sale.

Ten years ago the fact that politicians were involved in the deal killed it. Herbert Harding, president of the Citizens' Association obtaining an injunction.

This year several unusual politicians are doing all they can to assist in putting the deal through. John C. Cobb, Mayor Quincy's real estate expert, in behalf of the city, and Wellington Holbrook, in behalf of John Fottler, Jr., the present owner of the property, are now engaged in making an appraisal of the property.

The appearance of secret service men in Dover has aroused widespread interest.

It is supposed that they have been sent here by orders of the President to confer with Dr. Martin and to offer him the full services and the use of a revenue cutter if such should be desired. Members of the State Legislature who are still in the city declare that the President has taken steps to extend Federal aid to the search for the kidnapped boy.

At Senator Du Pont's dinner to the Republican members of the Legislature it was suggested that the Delaware Senator ask the President to assign a revenue cutter to search all sloops in Delaware Bay for the lost child.

It was not until last evening that it became definitely known that Dr. Marvin had left town. He talked with dozens of men early in the day, and said he was going to drive out to his farm. Those who called at the farm later in the day failed to find him, and then came a report from Wyoming that he had taken the train there.

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Wide Coat Collars of Point Venise lace, at less than half price, comes in white and ecru, value, each..... 50c

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1000 pairs, seconds of the quality..... 9c

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Furniture Covering, 60c quality, red only, and..... 39c
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Scotch Lace Curtains, 3½ yds. long, several patterns, value $1.25, pair..... 1.25
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3.98 RAIN-COATS 3.98
Ladies' Rain-coats, at 3.98, made of fine, all-linen cotton cravenette, made in the most approved style, with full back, full box front, double breasted, with belt, manufacturer's sheet bought at a big sacrifice, and never sold for less than $7.50, at..... 3.98

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All-Linen Silver Bleach Hemstitched Table Cloths, 2¼ yds. long, positively worth $2.50. Each..... 1.69
Full-size Knotted Bed Spreads, reduced. Friday, each..... 59c, 69c
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kept to recommend. All the trustees except Michael J. Jordan, it is said, favor the purchase, but Jordan strongly objects. Whether on the ground that politics are involved or because he believes it unnecessary, Mr. Jordan would not state to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day.

The other trustees are Mary T. Morrison, Michael S. Morton, C. James Connolly, George A. Sanderson and Mrs. C. L. Marion.

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and you will safely weather all these storms of sickness.

Their benign and healthful influence is felt at once. They soothe, tone and invigorate the organs of digestion, regulate the bile, dispel the blues and create a settled condition of stomach health. Buy a box at the nearest drug store and keep them on hand for emergencies. They will

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NEW CENTURY CORSETS PROVE TO BE GREAT TRANSFORMERS

Latest Wrinkles in "Shape-Makers" Shown by Miss Elizabeth White.

Models Large and Small Flock to Demonstration Hall.

What Wirard Elizabeth White did to the female form divine last night at her corset demonstration in the New Century building was a wonder.

The spectators gasped, exclaimed, rubbed their eyes, and gasped some more.

The transformed subjects caught a glimpse of themselves in the mirror and asked for introductions.

Miss White alone was smiling and calm.

"Perfectly easy," she remarked. "The easiest thing in the world. I've made over the figures of hundreds and taught hundreds of others how to make their own figures.

"It's all a question of corset adjustment. If you are too fat, place your fat where you want it.

"If you are too thin, make yourself look plump.

"Too fat models predominated. Miss White had them forth, rotund and shapeless. In plain words she described the faults of their figures.

Made a Transformation.

"Too much stomach, too much bust, too much hips.

"Then—presto!

Taking a pair of long finely boned, well-gartered corsets, her own model, "the combination," she explains, "of common sense, much study and more experience," she started to adjust about 200 pounds of obesity.

It looked hopeless, but Miss White chattered cheerfully and worked energetically.

"Get your corsets big enough," she advised. "A small corset is the worst enemy of a good figure. Get a girth big enough and hook it.

"Then attach yourself into a comfortable position.

"Be perfectly easy.

"Now fasten your garters, two in front, one on each hip.

"Stretch again. Then adjust your fat, placing it where you wish it to go." Miss White was placing the fat of the subject in the desired position.

The subject looked surprised, but heroic. Once or twice she winced a little, but her face was smiling.

It seemed to be ease where the desirability of the end justifies the painfulness of the means.

The fat adjusted, Miss White grasped the linings.

She took hold of them with a determined hand, and drew them with full strength.

The model gasped and almost lost her balance, but Miss White's grip on the strings was relentless.

Like a Fashion Plate.

"Loose at the top, but snug in the waist," she explained. "As snug as you please."

The model gasped again. Miss White tied the strings.

"There," she explained; "there you are."

The model stood forth like a fashion plate.

The on-lookers applauded.

"Isn't she swell?" asked Miss White. "Yet on all hook the same."

Miss White is not working any radical mouldish reforms in the figure of the day.

She lets women have hips and waist and bust much as nature intended, only properly adjusted.

"The snug waist is all talk," she declares, "and hips only look smaller.

"Don't be fooled. Get your hips, you've got to keep them and nobody could breathe with a wasp waist."

The newest corset wrinkle shown was a soft silk band across the hips, made to keep its place, and tied in the middle in a big soft bow.

GOV. POST COMING HOME.

SAN JUAN, P. R., March 21.—Governor Regis H. Post of Porto Rico is on his way to Washington to consult President Roosevelt on board a launch and to approve of the selection of a native secretary for Porto Rico.

GOWN AT DRESSMAKERS' CONVENTION.

THIS gown displays the latest combination of taffeta coat and gown of veiling or light silk. It is of White and brown checked foulard, finished at the skirt edge by a band of brown taffeta.

The taffeta has the latest fancies in sleeve insertions and Irish crochet motifs, and has narrow strappings of the silk and touches of embroidered linen.

The coat is of brown taffeta, made with plaits back and front, to the belt, below which is a fitted peplum.

There are revers of the checked silk and cut steel buttons for fastenings. The sleeves are the kimona shape and end in linen cuffs.

M'VEY BLAMES PILOT FOR LOSS OF LARCHMONT

Captain of Wrecked Joy Line Steamer Tells Story of Disaster to Inspectors.

MEN POORLY PAID, HE SAYS

Special to the Boston American.

NEW LONDON, Ct., March 21.—Running from John Arcularius' collieries of the Joy liner Larchmont with the schooner Harry Knowlton, Captain George W. McVey's testimony before the abandoned inspectors, in which he declared he stuck to his boat to the last, is today exciting comment upon all sides. The accompanying of the wrecked steamship gave his explanation of the catastrophe which resulted in terrible loss of life.

The examination of Captain McVey formed the last chapter of the official investigation into the wreck on the night of February 11 which the abandoned inspectors have been conducting. It was also the first statement made in an official way by the commander of the ill-fated craft. Captain McVey was before the inspectors for fully five hours, and yet through all of that trying ordeal his course remained with him, and he was able to substantiate his official report.

"Anson, What Have You Done?"

Describing the collision Captain McVey said: "Just suddenly realizing what had occurred, I turned to the man whom I afterward considered responsible for the accident and exclaimed: 'My God, Jones, Anson, what have you done?' The pilot, with glasses in hand, made no reply.

In those words Captain McVey declared that the pilot, one of the men severely reprimanded in the wreck on Long Island Sound on that cold night, was really responsible for the collision with the schooner.

Captain George McVey asserted that two wages prevailed on the line by which he was master, and that the standard set for help was also at a low level. Captain McVey said masters on other ships got $2,000. He got $1,500. He explained that he had suggested to the company that it employ a better grade of men and was told that those on the Larchmont were good enough.

Tells Story of Disaster.

Captain McVey detailed his own actions on the night the Larchmont went down.

"I ordered the men to their stations, realizing that the steamer was sinking fast. There was no other steamer in sight. I then went to the starboard side. The steamer had a heavy starboard list and was enveloped in steam and coal gas. The men were getting the boats ready. I said to the first mate it would be impossible to save anyone on that side. I also remarked we must endeavor to get our boat around to the leeward and save what we could.

Boat in Trough of Seas.

"While we were working on the boat the chief engineer came and said he had his boat ready. I assisted him in swinging it out, and told him to save all he could, that I must get my boat out. The men were swinging the boat out. The starboard guards was then under water and I jumped to my boat and called the sailors. I took the steering oar, intending to go around to leeward. The boat got into the trough of the sea, broadside to the sea, and for as I could it was impossible to bring around her head to the steamer.

Boat Drifts to Block Island.

"We were drifting away from the steamer all the time, and trying to get up to her. Almost before we could realize it the steamer went down. We stayed around as close as we could. We saw a number of lights go out of sight in the darkness. I decided the only thing to do was to let the boat drift, and we drifted to Block Island.

BURY FRANCIS HOBBS FROM CITY HOSPITAL

Funeral services for Francis W. Hobbs, who was run over and killed by a train at Charlestown Monday, were held to-day in the chapel at the City Hospital. Rev. F. W. Firth of St. Stephen's Episcopal church officiated. Delegations from the Boston Globe and BOSTON AMERICAN, occupied rooms, in both of which Mr. Hobbs had been employed since he came to this country from his home in England, attended.

VT. DAUGHTERS GIVE TEA.

An excellent programme has been arranged by the Daughters of Vermont for their reception and tea at the Vendome this afternoon. Mrs. Margaret Deland will be the guest of honor.

LAWS ENOUGH---HARRIMAN

Railroad Magnate Answers Rockefeller

HARRIMAN ANSWERS ROCKEFELLER

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER.

RAILROADS are vastly overcapitalized. That is not a healthy situation. I think that properties should be capitalized at only their legitimate value, and if that were done there would be a feeling of security.

Federal control would be a better thing for the roads. They would then understand the laws they must observe and would be able to plan ahead intelligently whereas now State suddenly demanding one thing and another State being equally insistent on something entirely different.

There is an undercurrent that doesn't look good. I haven't quite made up my mind if the increased production of gold is responsible or not. Personally, I do not like the outlook.

I do not think our people are saving the money they should save. The nation at the present time is unusually prosperous, but financial reports do not show that saving has increased in ratio with our prosperity.

Something after English methods, which would give broader opportunities for the builders and creators and planners would be more to our American liking.

EDWARD H. HARRIMAN.

THE roads are not overcapitalized for the country and its capabilities. In counting your capitalization think of the money that has gone into the abandoned lines, bridges and terminals. They must be considered a part of the constructive cost, and when you take that in you will find that you have not overcapitalized.

There is Federal control now. There are laws enough on its statute books now—more than enough. All that is necessary is to have them judiciously and wisely administered. We don't need any more Federal control.

We have been brought up staggering, but we are going to go ahead. It may take time, but I am a great believer in this country, in its resources and its people, and this check will not be permanent.

It is probable that the cost of the necessities of life will fall. Possibly the demand will fall off, and that will bring about a reduction in prices—not a panic or violent reaction, but a general drawing in.

English methods are impossible. There is not a single item upon which the twain can meet. You can no more measure the enormous capacities and energies of the American people and their country than you can compare the equipment of American roads with the capacities of the English.

Check to Financial Activity is Only Temporary, He Declares.

By Charles P. Norcross.

NEW YORK, March 21.—The powerful, but reticent, John D. Rockefeller obtained by the BOSTON AMERICAN and printed exclusively yesterday, is answered to-day by E. H. Harriman, the foremost railroad magnate of the country. On two important issues—Federal control and the overcapitalization of railroads—Mr. Harriman takes the negative side, disagreeing with Mr. Rockefeller, on many other questions he agrees with him.

These two interviews, with their contrasted aspects, are the most notable contribution to the general discussion on existing national conditions.

E. H. Harriman declares that the railroads of the country are not overcapitalized; that there are sufficient laws upon the statute books at present to control the railways and additional legislation; that railroad building, of development and not competition must be the rule of the future; that saving will be an appreciable contraction in improvements in railroad properties and even a decrease in the cost of necessities of life; that any idea of squandering American railways with English models is impossible, and that the present stature and wonderful growth of this country are due to the enthusiasm, the imagination and the speculative heat of private capitalists.

Those are some of the crisp, curt and caustic statements Mr. Harriman makes in discussing the railway situation in the United States, as compared with Europe, further supervision of the roads and the recent panic in Wall Street and financial circles.

"Federal Control Now."

"What do you think of Mr. Rockefeller's statement that there should be Federal control of the railroads?" was the first question asked Mr. Harriman, who was interviewed at the Metropolitan Club.

"There is Federal control now," came the curt rejoinder. "That system of the government to which is delegated the power for supervision of the railroads is equipped with ample responsibilities. There are laws enough on the statute books at present than enough. All that is necessary is to have them judiciously and wisely administered. There is no need for supplemental legislation."

"Do you think roads are overcapitalized?

"No," said Mr. Harriman, and the negative fairly bounded from his lips.

"You must remember this is a wonderful country. It has been made by the enthusiasms, the imagination and the speculative bent of a superbly capable people. They have been a people that are ancient pioneers. They saw into the future and adapted their works to the possibilities. There is much left to be developed in this country. Towns are growing like magic and its people are toiling like the Aladdin lamp genii. The roads are not overcapitalized for the country and its capabilities. Take any road, say the Pennsylvania—you have been over it. Did you ever notice the miles and miles of abandoned tracks? You have seen them criss-crossing everywhere you go. Instead of that you will now see the straight lines, the wonderful ballastings. In counting your capitalization think of the money that has gone into the abandoned lines, bridges and terminals. They must be considered a part of the constructive cost, and when you take that in you will find that you have not overcapitalized.

Refers to Dividend.

"Now take the dividend matter. There are not a great many roads in the country paying 6 per cent. dividends. Look at the matter in this light: A man who takes a preferred security must be contented with a smaller interest return. Suppose your bonds return 3 or 3½ per cent.—your preferred stock 4 or 5. Now take your average dividend and you will find that you have not overcapitalized. In your computation of capitalization and dividends you must take in the scrap heap or the abandoned equipment—and the average interest disbursement."

BUSINESS NOTICE.

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CITY FORCED TO ACT QUICKLY ON GARBAGE

The legal proceedings instituted by the Boston Merchants' Association against the garbage nuisance at Fort Hill wharf may cause Mayor Fitzgerald to immediately take the matter out of the hands of the special City Council committee which has been considering it for some time. The committee has met many times, but has made no report in regard to the abatement of the nuisance.

The case will come up April 3 on an order of notice for the city and the New England Sanitary Product Company to show cause why an injunction should not issue, and in May will be heard on its merits. This leaves little but a short time to act.

To Ask Babson's Advice.

Mayor Fitzgerald when asked today by a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter whether the legal action taken would cause any change in his plans said:

"I shall consult Corporation Counsel Babson to-day as to what legal effect on the action has and shall issue a statement later. I distrust any discrepancy existing in the committee by taking the matter out of its hands, but immediate action seems imperative.

The Mayor's plan, submitted to the City Council for consideration, was for a contract with the Sanitary Waste Disposal Company to construct a covered garbage at Fort Hill wharf where the kitchen garbage is now handled in scows and shipped to the plant of the New England Sanitary Product Company at Spectacle Island, and where the nuisance exists.

Was to Get $30,000 a Year.

Here the company for a consideration of $30,000 a year was to handle the garbage to a sanitary manner prior to its shipment, and also handle the city's ashes prior to their shipment out to sea. The company would also use the plant to handle the other refuse which they now handle at Fresh wharf for $5,000 a year. The additional consideration was to be for transporting and handling the kitchen garbage and ashes.

The committee a week ago were unanimous against this proposition, some favoring a municipal plant, while others favored different propositions. They were to have submitted a report to the board of aldermen Tuesday, but could not get together.

TRAINMEN FAVOR STRIKE.

CHICAGO, March 21.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the order of Railway Conductors of the Western roads have voted in favor of a strike. They want an eight-hour day and a 15 per cent. wage increase. Fifty thousand men may go out.

AGE LIMIT RAISED.

PHILADELPHIA, March 21.—The age limit of employes on President Ryan's trading railroad has been raised from forty-five to forty-five years.

NOTED MEN TO 'DEFT 'TOUCH' ACT AS ALDRICH PALLBEARERS

A group of national litterateurs and other professional men will serve as honorary pall bearers at the funeral of Thomas Bailey Aldrich, which will be held at the Arlington Street Church at 12 o'clock tomorrow.

The list includes Governor Guild, Professor Charles Eliot Norton of Harvard University, Colonel Thomas Wentworth Higginson of Cambridge, William Dean Howells of New York, Richard Watson Gilder of New York, editor of the Century Magazine; Miles Perry of Boston, editor of the Atlantic Monthly; Hamilton W. Mabie of New York, Henry M. Alden of New York, editor of Harper's Monthly Magazine; Edward L. Burlingame of New York, editor of Scribner's Magazine; Edmund Clarence Stedman of New York, Judge Robert Grant of Boston, Moorfield Storey of Boston, George E. Woodbury of Beverly, Francis Bartlett of Boston and George H. Mifflin.

The services will be conducted by the Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham, pastor of the Arlington Street Church, assisted by the Rev. James De Normandie, pastor of the First (Unitarian) Religious Society of Roxbury. There will be private interment in Mt. Auburn Cemetery, the resting place of many famous authors.

13,290,677 BALES COTTON.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Census reports on cotton show an output of 13,290,677 bales for the past year, an amount far in excess of 1905.

DEFT 'TOUCH' BY FAKE ACTOR LEADS TO CELL

After making a successful "touch" on Norma Seymour, of Joe Hart's "Crickets," for the price of railroad fare to Little Old New York, a man giving the name of George E. Foster, but said by the police to be Edward S. Fellin with a record, ran foul of Milt. Wood's inborn caution and is now in the hands of the police. He comes into Municipal Court to-day on a charge of vagrancy.

On Tuesday Miss Seymour received a letter from Foster, who said he was "up against it," and that he only wanted a ticket to New York, where he had friends. She made an appointment. Foster was there, took the girl's money without making an eyelash and left. The next day, according to the stories told the police, Foster figured out that the Orpheum crowd was so very "soft" that he would try again. This time he picked out Milt Wood, the buck dancer. But Milt. didn't "fall for it." Instead he made talk about it around the theatre and found that Miss Seymour had given the railroad fare to Milt. told the police, who hunted for Foster, found him and arrested him.

JURY GIVES WOMAN HURT BY CAR, $2,400

TAUNTON, March 21.—A jury in the Superior Court yesterday afternoon awarded Mrs. Mellen Snow, of Attleboro, $2,400 for injuries caused by a car of the Interstate Consolidated Street Railway Company leaving the tracks.

THE TRIO

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When a tailor who has satisfied his customers for 35 years makes a special offer it means business—and lots of it. You can't get a gold dollar for less than 100 cents; you can't get a good wearing suit for less than the price it takes to make a good wearing suit, so when we say we make a nobby, up-to-date, finely tailored suit of first-class materials for $20 you can depend that we are giving you honest value at the lowest possible price

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FRIDAY SPECIALS

THE REMARKABLE low prices quoted throughout the store during this, our ANNIVERSARY WEEK, together with the following few specials for Friday only, should be the means of making this the busiest and most popular bargain centre in Boston during Friday and Saturday.

A Friday Special in Boys' Easter Suits

BOYS' SAILOR SUITS, sizes 5 to 10 years, in blue cheviot, wool crash and fancy Scotch cheviots, light or dark patterns, with bloomer pants, all new styles and perfect fitting garments, worth $3.90, at choice, during *Friday Only*.... **1.87**

BOYS' BLOUSES, in cheviots, ginghams and percales, strictly fast colors, sizes 4 to 15 years, worth 29c each. Special for *Friday Only*..... **19c**

Lining Specials

For Friday Only.

12½c and 20c Remnants of colored Lining Percalines and Sateens... **6¼c**

79c Lining Satin, 36 inch, black and colors... **59c**

Handkerchief Specials

For Friday Only.

10c EMBROIDERED AND LACE TRIMMED HANDKERCHIEFS... **5c**

25c EMBROIDERED AND LACE TRIMMED HANDKERCHIEFS... **12½c**

Veiling Special

For Friday Only.

50c VEILS, dotted chiffon with lace effect border, 1½ yards long, black, brown, navy, white and black or white... **25c**

Neckwear Specials

For Friday Only.

50c LADIES' VENISE LACE COAT COLLARS, different styles, in ecru only... **25c**

25c EMBROIDERED AND LACE TRIMMED TIES, the new narrow styles to wear with turnover collars... **19c**

Ribbon Specials

For Friday Only.

19c ALL SILK TAFFETA RIBBON, 4 and 4½ inch, in all colors, also black and white... **12½c**

8c TAFFETA RIBBON, 1½ inches wide, in all colors... **5c**

15c TAFFETA RIBBON, 2½ inches wide, heavy weight, in black only... **9c**

Reversible Jute Smyrna Rugs

Special for Friday Only

95c

One thousand of these handsome Jute Smyrna Rugs, in floral and rich oriental designs (like illustration)—reversible, both sides alike, with fringe, full hearth size, 2½x5 feet—at choice, each, *For Friday Only*..... **95c**

Legal Stamps Given in All Departments

'WE ARE HAPPY' SAYS LILLIAN KEMBLE IN N. Y.

Actress Refuses to Deny or Affirm Story of Her Wedding to Actor Charles Mackay.

MESSAGE TO AMERICAN

Miss Lillian Kemble will not yet say that she has become the bride of Charles Mackay. Neither will she say she has not. She simply hints that something may happen soon.

In response to a telegram sent by the BOSTON AMERICAN to New York, where Miss Kemble and Mr. Mackay are both appearing at the Savoy Theatre in "The Man of the Hour" company, this message was received to-day:

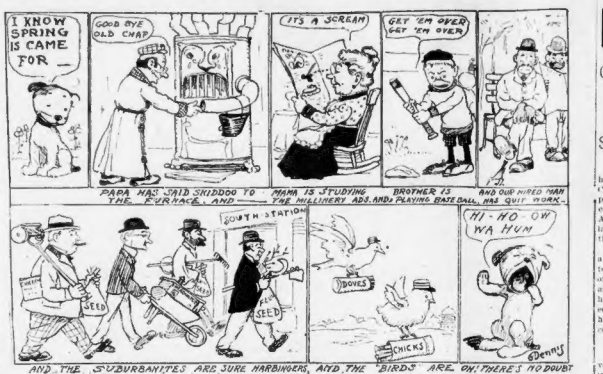
"Wire received. Cannot deny or affirm at present. Good story in few days. We are happy."

(Signed) "LILLIAN KEMBLE."

It was current report about Broadway that the couple who had appeared together at the Castle Square Theatre, had quietly gone to a secluded spot and there been joined in matrimony. But not a word would they say about it.

Mr. Mackay was recently divorced by his wife, who was Miss Porter, daughter of Lina Boyd Porter, the novelist. Miss Kemble has just secured a divorce from Will Rising.

HERALD BLITHSOME SPRING TO MAKE ITS ANNUAL BOW TO-DAY



BABY DIES; DRANK OIL OF WINTERGREEN

BURLINGTON, Vt., March 21.—Edward M. Morgan, the four-year-old son of Edward Morgan, is dead as the result of drinking a bottle of oil of wintergreen.

CATARRH TREATED AND CURED BY "The Household Surgeon"

CATARRH usually occurs in the Throat and Nasal passages, and is an affection which causes irritation, inflammation and soreness of the mucous membranes. To cure the disease and prevent recurrence it is necessary to antiseptically cleanse and heal the affected parts. DR. PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL is a Household Surgical Dressing, which is most efficient for the cure of Catarrh, because of its wonderful antiseptic cleansing and healing properties. It can be readily sprayed into the Throat and Nose with an Atomizer, and as it is in the form of an Oil, it does not simply vaporize and pass off, but it goes directly to the seat of the trouble. The beneficial effects of the application will be noticed immediately, and the most stubborn chronic cases of Catarrh can be cured after a short treatment. Nearly all druggists now sell DR. PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL. Price 25c.

Officially Pronounce Season Here At Noon, Signally End of King Coal's Reign.

SPRING begins at 1 o'clock.
Put your overcoat in hock.
Cut out coal and put the price
Into stocking up with ice.
Hope the blessed R. & A.
Gets a warming-up to-day.
So its trains will all go through
Something as they ought to do.
Baseball, too—say, maybe we
Will be—Better wait and see
Till the season's underway
And the teams begin to play
Shed your heavy underwear,
Go out in the Springtime air.

Leave a little in the till
For the undertaker's bill.
Wouldn't snow produce a shock?
Spring is due at 1 o'clock.

SPRING is officially declared on at 1 o'clock to-day.

No matter what the weather is, it is Spring after you get back from lunch to-day.

If it snows and blows, it is Spring. If the weather has a regular brainstorm, Spring is still on the job.

For the man who made the seasons and set them trotting around the equinoctial track decrees that Spring begins at 1 p. m. March 21, rain or shine, blow hot or blow cold.

We may now look any time for the baseball to blossom on the bat and for the entente cordiale to be resumed between the batter and the umpire.

Once more will Boston strive to get the baseball pennant. The "Doves" and the "Chicks," as the new league teams are nicknamed this year, will tear around on their respective diamonds and try to show that Boston is not a baseball paranoiac.

To-day Mamma, having carefully studied all the millinery advertisements, will get a strangle hold on a majority report of father's pay envelope and show her superiority over the masculine gender by paying $27 for an Easter hat, whereas father will pay $2.50 for a new lid, if he gets one.

The coal consumption will grow beautifully less. But the law of compensation, which never falleth, will see to it that the ice bill starts in where the coal bill leaves off so that the common person will always be behind the financial game.

About this time look for a change in the operation of the Boston & Albany railroad. The frost is coming out of the ground. Likewise the frost which President Newman of the New York Central injected into Boston petitioners should abate a bit. The snows and head winds which delay engine speed on the B. & A., having passed away, these engines will rival the speed of the bounding trolley.

Now that the harsh air of Winter is modified into the gentler breezes of Spring, the children may be allowed to play in the streets again, where they can be run over by the electric cars without fear of their catching pneumonia.

Day of the Umpire and Ice Man Is Ushered in by the Official Weather Man.

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LESLIE CARTER GETS THE ASTOR THEATRE

NEW YORK, March 21.—Arrangements were completed yesterday whereby Mrs. Leslie Carter secures the Astor Theatre in New York for her productions. The contract, for a term of years, was signed yesterday with Messrs. Wagenhals and Kemper. She will inaugurate her season after a short road tour in November.

DRIVEN BY FIRE OUT INTO BLIZZARD

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., March 21.—Elton Barrows and his family were driven from their beds and forced to leap from a second story window into the drifts of a raging blizzard by a fire which destroyed their house yesterday.

CALAIS, VT., CHILDREN HELP SCHOOL FUND

The school children of Maple Corner School No. 5, Calais, Vt., have sent $2.20 in aid of the San Francisco Schoolhouse Fund:

Alta Bancroft	$ .10	Margaret Converse	.05
Arthur Lacross	.10	Catherine Converse	.05
Ann Wheeler	.10	Iva Wheelock	.10
Raymond Wheeler	.10	Ella Sanders	.10
Mary Robinson	.05	Mary Van Ornam	.10
Emily Robinson	.05	Mattie Wark	.10
Mildred Robinson	.05	Friend	.20
Sylvia Converse	.05		

WIND TWISTS HOUSE.

STOWE, March 21.—During a high wind yesterday the new house of E. C. Miles was twisted two inches out of plumb and three inches of snow fell.

HOLD MASSEUR ON CHARGE OF BEATING NURSE

Captain Hichborn's Attendant Attacked on March 11 Is Now in Bad Condition.

SKULL MAY BE FRACTURED

As result of a vicious attack said to have been committed in the apartments of Captain Samuel Hichborn, one of the principal assessors of Boston and a former commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, his trained nurse, Willard R. Lothrop is in a critical condition in the Massachusetts General Hospital.

His alleged assailant, Charles Stapleton, a muscular masseur with an extensive clientele in the Back Bay, is held by the police of Station 16. He is accused at present of assault with intent to kill, on which charge he will be arraigned in court. It is expected, however, that the police will ask that he be held for continuance, pending the outcome of Lothrop's condition.

Say Assault Was Unprovoked.

The police say the assault was unprovoked and that Stapleton was under the influence of liquor.

Captain Hichborn lives at No. 293 West Newton street. On account of ill health he has employed Lothrop as his personal attendant for ten years. Lothrop is known as a capable nurse. Stapleton lives at No. 31 Norway street. He is fifty-eight years old, eighteen years older than Lothrop; but Lothrop is of slender build, and would be considered no physical match for the masseur.

Though the attack on Lothrop took place on March 11, it has been kept quiet. On the night of that date Lothrop was attending Captain Hichborn as usual. Stapleton came there to give the captain a massage. After treating his patient, Stapleton stayed in the flat a few minutes, as he frequently did when not pressed for time.

Felled Nurse With a Blow.

Lothrop was in his room. Suddenly, according to the story Lothrop told the police, Stapleton dashed through the hallway yelling to Lothrop:

"I'll kill you."

With that Stapleton jumped on Lothrop, and, before the nurse could guard himself, dealt him a terrific blow on the head with clinched fist. Lothrop fell unconscious, and when he recovered his senses Stapleton had gone.

7TH EVENING IN SPANISH.

The seventh in a series of literary evenings in Spanish will be held this evening at Huntington Chambers by Professor I. F. Romero, LL. D. The program includes, besides the professor's lecture, a concert in Spanish.

NICARAGUANS WHIP 2 ARMIES IN 3-DAY FIGHT

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Dispatches from San Salvador announce the defeat at Portillos de Namasique of the combined armies of Salvador and Honduras by the army of Nicaragua, after a three-days' battle, with severe losses on both sides. The defeated armies sustained a loss of 900 killed and wounded. There were 5,000 men in the battle. Another engagement is expected to-day.

General Jose Delores Presa, commander of the Salvadorean army, in a communication from the battleground at the end of two days of fighting declares that, united armies were winning, that the Nicaraguans were beaten back with "great" losses in commanding officers, and that "the enemy was disorganized. The battle opened with a heavy artillery fire Portillos de Namasique is a heavily fortified town.

American interests in the fighting republics have not yet been menaced.

ROUT RAILROAD IN N. H.; ENACT ANTI-PASS BILL

CONCORD, N. H., March 21.—The railroad forces in New Hampshire have been forced to capitulate and allow the passage of an anti-free pass bill in both branches of the Legislature. So effectual was the rout of their "army" that the bill passed both branches yesterday inside of two hours and with only three votes in opposition.

The new bill provides that any member of the Legislature or any other State official who requests, accepts or uses any free pass upon a steam railroad, or any ticket which entitles him to transportation for a less price than is demanded of the public generally, or any railroad official or employe of a steam railroad corporation who knowingly issues, delivers or gives to any such person or to any other person at the request of any such person such free transportation or reduced price ticket, shall be punished or a fine of not less than $100 or more than $1,000.

The Radiant Christ
by Ella Wheeler Wilcox

Easter Poem

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Easter Sermon

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IN BLACK FABRICS for Easter this year, the new weaves of invisible stripes and checks are the correct thing. We have gentlemen's Suits in these and every other fashionable black material. Black Prince Albert Coats and Vests, $22 to $35; Black English Walking Suits, $20, $25, $30; Black Sack Suits, $16 to $30. Spring Trousers for Easter wear, $4, $5, $6, $8, $10

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Shirts, Storm Coats, Smoking Jackets

Bath Robes and Neckwear.

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Now ..... 85c to $1.00
Were ..... $1.50 to $3.00

SMOKING JACKETS
Now ... $1.00 to $10.00
Were ..... $6.00 to $15.00

BATH ROBES
Now ... $3.50 to $10.00
Were ..... $5.00 to $12.00

NECKWEAR
Four-in-Hands, Ascots and Squares
Now ..... 25c to $1.50
Were ..... 50c to $3.00

STORM COATS
Largest Line in Boston.
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FRIDAY
Brine's Cut Price Day
Double Stamps Friday Afternoon

Children's Coats
New style Box Coats, velvet collar, patch pockets, handsome grey mixtures, sizes 6 to 14 years..... 1.98

Two Grand Glove Bargains
Elbow length, real kid, best quality, worth $2.00, at 1.98
Black Lisle Gloves, elbow length, mousquetaire, worth $1.00, at 59c

50c and 75c Silk and Leather Belts 25c
Handsome new style tailored and shirred Silk and Leather Belts, big bargain..... 25c

Wellesley Bags
Made from finest quality India Goat Skin, inside lined, block bottom, corded edge, same bag we sold at $1.98, at 95c

In the Basement
Children's Hose Supporters..5c
400 English Pins, on paper...2c
5-yard piece Braid, black....5c
Willimantic Spool Cotton....3c
Japan Silk substitute.....2c
Pearl Buttons, 2 dozen.....5c

Hosiery Bargains
25c Infants' All-Wool Fine Cashmere Hose, with silk heels and toes (seconds) 12½c
Women's Fast Black Hose, double heels and toes, seconds of 19c goods..... 8c
Girls' Fast Black Cotton Hose, double heels, soles and toes, slightly imperfect, value 15c..... 7c

98c Waists 59c

Waists of fine lawn, fronts of all-over embroidery and baby tucks, fine tucks in back, long and three-quarter sleeves, a bargain at 98c. Friday, each..... 59c
No Mail or Express Orders

$1.00 Corset

sets, made of fine batiste perfect fitting, size 18 to 24, white only. For Friday only..... 49c

1.25 Wrappers 98c
$1.25 Domestic Wrappers, new Spring goods, medium shades, all sizes, Friday's Price 98c

Girls' New Wash Dresses, made of plain chambray, pique trimmed, sizes 6 to 14 years, value 59c, Friday's Price 45c

27-inch Outing Flannel, pink and blue only, regular price 9c

12½c, Friday only..... 9c

27-inch Furniture Velour, in fancy designs and rich colorings, regular price 55c, Friday only..... 39c

Swift's Fine Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in fancy box, all odors, regular price 25c, Friday only..... 19c

50c and 75c Cotton and Wool Children's Shirts, all sizes, Friday only
25c

All Silk Chantilly Lace Veils, with fancy border, in black, brown and navy, regular price $1.00, Friday only 59c

Shell Side and Back Combs, regular price 25c, Friday only..... 15c

Fancy Shell Back Combs, regular price 25c, Friday only 17c

Barrettes, in shell and amber, regular price 15c and 25c, Friday only..... 10c

$15.00 Pony Coat Suit, like cut, moire collar and cuffs trimmed with silk braids, light striped mixtures. For Friday only.
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50c Tape Girdle Corsets, made of strong tape with never rust steels. For Friday only..
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OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS

HOME RULE IS SURE TO COME AS SUNRISE

—British Chancellor.

LONDON, March 21.—Declaring that, like Premier Campbell-Bannerman, he was a Home Ruler, Lord Loreburn, the Lord High Chancellor, created a sensation in the House of Lords last night.

A demand for a disclosure of the ministerial policy regarding Ireland was made by the Earl of Denbigh.

In reply the Earl of Crewe, Lord President of the Council, said the Government's policy was not home rule, but an advance in the direction of self-government, which was not incompatible with an advance toward home rule.

Following this explanation the Marquis of Londonderry, Conservative, declared the people of England had not given a man date to grant the demands of the Irish.

Then came the striking declaration by Lord Loreburn.

"All roads," Lord Loreburn said, "lead to home rule. It is as certain to come as that to-morrow's sun will rise."

Lord Lansdowne, Liberal-Unionist, said he considered that the remarks of the Lord High Chancellor left no doubt whatever that home rule was the object aimed at by the government.

RARE COAT AND DRESS DISPLAY

Among the many handsome Spring offerings at the Meyer Jonasson store, Tremont and Boylston streets, is a large assortment of new princess dresses and silk jumper suits, beauties in design and finish and attractive to every woman of taste. The store is also offering an extensive line of covert coats and an array of lace and silk coats.

In the waist department there is exhibited an extensive line of new net and lace waists, in the tailored suit department are a choice number of suits from Parisian workrooms, and also a large number of designs manufactured in the Meyer Jonasson's own factory in New York city. New cutaway suits for women, the real latest thing out, are being shown, and are proving very popular.

In the separate skirt department there is displayed a large assortment of new skirts in voile, Panama, taffeta, silks, checks and stripes. There are also some very pretty mohair and serge suits.

In the waist department the counters are filled with batiste and lawn waists that are being sold at prices ranging from 95 cents to $25. Many of them are handsomely hand embroidered. In addition is also offering waists that are known as the "no-to-wear" kind, the styles being exclusive with the Meyer Jonasson Company.

HUB FURNITURE BOWLERS FEAST

At the annual banquet of the Retail Furniture Bowling League held at the Quincy House last evening, the representatives of the winning teams of the league received handsome cups and other prizes. The recipients were the Atkinson Company for the first team prize, August Clenkoff for the highest individual score, Jacob Miller for the highest single string, and R. W. E. Howe for the highest three string score.

M. F. Simpson, president of the league, was toastmaster. The speakers included C. S. Osgood and W. L. Shearer of the Paine Furniture Co. The guests included A. J. Morse of the Shawmut Company, George J. Bicknell of the Atkinson Company, C. W. Luce of the Brooks Company, R. C. Kingsley of the John H. Pray Company, H. B. Schofield of the Plimpton-Hyer Company and J. A. Bicknell of the A. H. Davenport Company.

DEATH NOTICES.

BARBER—In Charlestown, March 19, Daniel, husband of Norah Barber, 61 yrs.
Funeral from residence, 250 Medford st., Friday, March 22, at 8:30 a. m. High mass at 9 o'clock in Sacred Heart Church, at which relatives and friends respectfully invited.

BROOKS—At Channing Home, March 19, Ella F. Brooks, 41 yrs.
Funeral services will be held at 54 Lincoln st., Somerville, Thursday, at 3 p. m.

BUDD—In this city, March 20, Mary C. Rudolf, widow of the late I. B. Budd.
Funeral services at St. Stephen's Church, Florence st., Friday, March 22, at 11 a. m.

CORCORAN—In Charlestown, March 20, Anna, beloved daughter of William J. and Mary A. Corcoran, aged 9 yrs. 9 mos. 20 ds.
Funeral from residence, 20 Mount Vernon st., Friday, March 22, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited.

CURLEY—In Roxbury, March 20, Patrick A., beloved husband of Mary Curley.
Funeral from his late residence, 15 Dana st., Friday, at 8:15 a. m. High mass at St. Joseph's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

DOLAN—In Jamaica Plain, March 19, William F. Dolan.
Funeral from the residence of his brother, James B. Dolan, 21 Lee st., Friday, March 22, at 8:30 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Thomas' Church at 9 o'clock.

FRANDSEN—In Reno, Nev., March 15, Alice Moreland Frandsen.

GREEN—In Quincy, March 20, Andrew J. Green, late of Cambridge, 79 yrs. 9 mos.
Funeral from St. Agnes' chapel, 49 Kirkland st., Cambridge, 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

HALL—In Sharon, March 19, William Franklin, 56 yrs.
Funeral from his late residence, Silver road, Friday, March 22, at 11:15 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Motor leave South station at 10:15 a. m. Providence and Stoughton papers please copy.

KNAPP—In Somerville, March 20, Emma F., wife of Frank A. Knapp, aged 49 yrs. 10 mos.
Funeral from her late residence, 134 Central st., Somerville, Friday, March 22, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

RAND—In Cambridge, March 19, Sarah W., widow of Oliver Rand, 85 yrs.
Funeral services at the home, 23 Bigelow st., Cambridge, March 21, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

SMITH—In Roxbury, March 20, Margaret, beloved wife of Wm. W. Smith, nee Griffin.
Funeral from late residence, 250 Dudley st., Friday, March 22, at 8:30, solemn high mass of requiem at St. Patrick's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited. Charlestown, Prince Edward Island, papers please copy.

SULLIVAN—In this city, March 19, Alice G., daughter of Patrick J. and Mary Sullivan, 28 yrs.
Funeral from her late residence, South Franklin st., Holbrook, Friday, March 22, at 8:15 a. m. High mass and requiem at St. Joseph's Church, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

TREWORTHY—In Long Island City, N. Y., March 19, Charles Treworthy, aged 57 yrs.
Funeral at Masonic Temple, Somerville, Island Lodge, F. and A. M., and Anchor Lodge, I. O. O. F., at late residence, 52 Island st., Long Island City, Tuesday, March 19, at 8 p. m. Interment at Belmont.

WALLACE—In Revere, March 19, Agnes, beloved wife of Robert Wallace, 49 yrs.
Funeral from her late residence, 26 Rumford av., Beachmont, Friday, March 22, at 8:15 a. m. High mass of requiem at Blessed Sacrament Church of Lourdes, Beachmont, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Philadelphia, Holyoke and Marblehead, Ont., papers please copy.

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Dinner Sets Value $6.50 a set, W. H. Grindley & Co.'s famous English semi-porcelain dinner sets, very thin, new Premier shapes, sets for six persons ... Special $2.98
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Parlor Lamps Value $2.98 each, hand painted, gold plated cast foot and crown. Trimmed, complete with best central draft burner, 10-inch globe ... Special $1.69
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Salt and Pepper Shakers Value 15c imitation cut glass salt and pepper shakers, block design, celluloid tops ... Special 5c
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A short time bargain to more thoroughly introduce our high-grade photographs. Finest work guaranteed. Patrons will be allowed their choice of two proofs. The portraiture of children is our special study. Sittings on cloudy days are equally as satisfactory as on bright days.
Take Hayward Place Elevator to Siegel Studio.

Shell Hair Pins Value 15c and 19c choice of one dozen pins, or one pair of amber or shell side combs, or one back comb in our Notion Department, Bar-gain Friday .... Special 10c
Henry Siegel Co.—Main Floor, Essex Street Side.

Largest Variety of TRIMMED HATS in Boston at $5

Five Dollars is our price Bargain Friday for a hat that costs anywhere up \$10.00 in many stores. A new collection of 5,000 hats will be ready at this price. Fresh from our own workrooms, where those amazingly beautiful creations from abroad are copied and where many original conceptions of our own are designed. Our latest collection for Bargain Friday consists of large CHIP and LEGHORN FLATS, shaped in three MUSHROOM shapes, CHIP SAILORS with drooping brims, HOODS bent and tasted—beautiful BRAID HATS made in the season's newest frames in all three blues, leather, or burnt with plenty of blacks, trimmed with wings, flowers, ribbons, quills, ornaments, etc., a showing that positively cannot be equalled in Boston at ... $5
Henry Siegel Co.—Second Floor, Hayward Place Side.

Royal Wilton Rugs Value \$37 to \$40 Size 6.3x10.6, practically indestructible, designs are the very newest effects, they represent the best makers in the country. Special $29 to $33.75

Axminster Rugs Value \$28 to \$30 Size 8.3x10.6, a number of perfect reproductions of Caucasian rugs, known as Ezaks; also a number of reproductions of Ghorevans, they look nearly like an Oriental rug, not properly matched ... Special $19.85
in design.

Tapestry Carpets Value 85c and 95c a yard, 360 rolls, heavy quality, suitable for parlors, halls, stairs, etc. Purchased for this sale ... Special 69c

Best TAILORED SUIT in Boston $15

Our astounding sale of a week ago has caused hundreds of women to look forward eagerly to our next great event. Hundreds have wondered whether we would again be able to offer such remarkable values.

Here is one that surpasses anything previously offered. A tailored suit that you positively cannot buy anywhere else in Boston for less than \$22.50, here Bargain Friday at ... $15

They are fine Panama suits, in the new shades of gray, blue, mode, also black, prettily trimmed and tailored, in the Pony, Eton and Blazer styles. The skirts are prettily plaited, all the jackets are satin or silk lined.

The shirt waist dresses are by far the daintiest ever offered in Boston. We have them in black and colors, also fancy foulards. They have lace yokes and are beautifully trimmed with velvet, large full skirts, a dress noted for its serviceableness and the many occasions on which it may be worn ... $15.00

Another shipment of those becoming Taffeta Silk Jumper Dresses received in time for tomorrow's selling, fancy hairline striped, tomorrow ... $9.90

Another SKIRT Sensation

We sold out that collection of \$5.50 and \$6.50 skirts at \$3.75 the other day in just a few hours, and since that we have had hundreds of calls for the same skirt, at the same price, but have been unable to supply the demand. Tomorrow we will have another collection ready, twice as large as the first, and it is needless to say that we will have one of the greatest crowds in Boston down here for this exceptional value.

Bona fide \$5.50 and \$6.50 skirts, made of panama, in black and colors, also fancy mixtures in various patterns, tailored in the best manner and prettily and elegantly plaited. Special ... $3.75

$10.00 Taffeta Silk SKIRTS at $5.00
The popular sunburst models, made of fine, lustrous silk and very dressy. We do not advertise these very extensively because we have only 50 of them and they will go with a rush at this bargain price of ... $5.00

$12.50 and $15.00 Cravenette Coats $6.95
To show how popular these cravenette coats are we had 500 for the Challenge Sale, and had just thirty-eight remaining, which we shall clear out tomorrow at the wonderfully low price of \$6.95. They are full length models, plaited and belted, collarless with large full sweep, new large sleeves, various shades, the finest coat in the world for every day wear. Special ... $6.95

BARGAINS for GIRLS
$1.25 Wash Dresses at 95c
The largest assortment in the city, comprising blouse, Russian, sailor and guimpe effects, gingham, seat checks and chambrays, trimmed with lace or embroidery, extra full skirts attached to blouse, finished with deep hem, 6 to 14 years ... 95c

GIRLS' $2.75 COATS at $1.95
Smart up-to-date garments, made of handsome novelties and plain materials, cut full box back, double breasted front, velvet collar, new tailored sleeve with roll cuff, sizes 6 to 14 years. $1.95
Special ...

Henry Siegel Co.—Second Floor, Essex Street Side.

Shell Hair Pins Value 15c and 19c choice of one dozen pins, or one pair of amber or shell side combs, or one back comb in our Notion Department, Bargain Friday .... Special 10c
Henry Siegel Co.—Main Floor, Essex Street Side.

SILK Remnants

Remnants of Silks that broke all selling records during the Challenge Sale at 49c, 59c and 69c.

Crepe de Chines, Foulards, Fancy Dress Silks, Shantungs, Poplins, Habutais, Peau de Cygnes, Mousselines — Bargain Friday 29c

Remnants of Silks that broke all selling records during the Challenge Sale at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Colored Taffetas, Chiffon Radiums, Satin Duchesses, All Silk Shantungs, Evening Brocades, Fancy Suitings and other well known weaves — Bargain Friday 49c

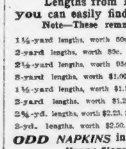
Henry Siegel Co.—Main Floor, Hayward Place Side.

TABLE DAMASK Remnants

Lengths from 1¼ to 3½ yards, many patterns alike so that you can easily find enough for any purpose.
Note—These remnants are priced by the length and not by the yard.

1¼-yard lengths, worth 60c. Special ... 25c
2-yard lengths, worth 85c. Special ... 35c
2¼-yard lengths, worth 95c. Special ... 43c
2½-yard lengths, worth \$1.00. Special ... 50c
1¾-yard lengths, worth \$1.10. Special ... 70c
2-yard lengths, worth \$1.25. Special ... 95c
2¾-yd. lengths, worth \$2.25. Special ... $1.50
3-yd. lengths, worth \$2.50. Special ... $1.45
3-yd. lengths, worth \$1.75. Special ... $1.00
2¼-yd. lengths, worth \$2.60. Special ... $1.75
3-yd. lengths, worth \$3.50. Special ... $2.25
3-yd. lengths, worth \$4.00. Special ... $2.75
2¼-yd. lengths, worth \$6.75. Special ... $3.50
3-yd. lengths, worth \$6.00. Special ... $3.00
3-yd. lengths, worth \$4.50. Special ... $3.00
2½-yd. lengths, worth \$5.25. Special ... $3.50

ODD NAPKINS in dozen and half dozen lots, at about one-half.
Henry Siegel Co.—Main Floor, Hayward Place Side.



Five Thousand Jardiniere or Magazine Stands, Special 39c

Like illustration. A strong, neatly finished piece of furniture, made of golden or weathered oak, 34 inches high, 12 inches square, can be used for half a dozen different purposes; while they last Bargain Friday, this lot of 1000 stands, each ... 39c

CLOTHING

For Boys

Inspect our clothing values before you buy, and you will soon learn the advantage of purchasing your clothing on the basis of the lowest department store profits, which enables us to undersell any clothing store in town.

Boys' $7.50 Spring Suits
Sizes 3 to 17 years, Russian, sailor or double breasted suits with two pairs pants, in grays, blues, blacks, browns and all the new checks and decided plaids.

Boys' $7.50 Reefers and Top-coats in all the new coverts, fancy grays — Scotches in plaids, stripes and checks — perfectly tailored, positively the swellest showing of coats and reefers in the city, sizes 3 to 16 years, exclusive patterns, sale price Friday and Saturday .. $4.95

Third Floor, Essex Street Side.

Every Easter WAIST IN THESE Four Collections Is a Rare Bargain

A better opportunity to save money on waists was never offered by any store in Boston. Our waist section is the busiest in New England. By constantly offering the very latest and daintiest styles, the largest number of exclusive models, and continually quoting the lowest prices on the finest qualities, we have built up a waist business first in Boston. This department is widely recognized as the best place in Boston to buy waists.

This $10 Waist $7.50

Lingerie, entire front of German Val. insertion—square yoke in back of same—¾ sleeve to match front.

This $4 Waist $2.95

Lawn, with entire front of embroidery—Val. insertions and pin tucking—baby back—¾ sleeve—collar and cuffs of tucking—Val. insertion and edging.

This $5 Waist $3.95

Persian lawn with pointed yoke in front of dainty hand embroidery and Val. insertion—insertions and tucking in back—¾ sleeve—lace trimmed.

This $3 Waist $2.25

Fine dotted Swiss waist—entire front embroidered—trimmed with clusters of fine pin tucking, six plaits in back—short sleeves—collar and cuffs of tucking—edged with Val. lace.

Henry Siegel Co.—Second Floor, Hayward Place Side.

Bargain Friday's Astounding List of Specials. **GROCERIES** Mail Orders Filled. Charges Prepaid.

25,000 TINS of SARDINES, Always 8c to 10c Each, Special, 4½c

385 cases of the well known Continental Sardines, packed by the Sea Coast Packing Co., purchased especially for Bargain Friday.

We feature the above sensational special to quickly draw our customers' attention to the wonderful saving in groceries in these Friday sales.

POTATOES 1 cap (80,000 lbs.) fancy Houlton Co. potatoes, cook dry and mealy, worth 90c. Special bushel sack ... 79c

COFFEE Harmony Blend, specially selected coffee, very pleasing aroma and fine flavor. Special 5 lbs. ... $1.00, lb. 21c

SAMPLE TEA 600 lbs. choice mixed samples tea, worth 35c. Special, 3 lbs. 85c, lb. ... 25c

FLOUR HAZEL, bbl. XXXX Minnesota Patent Flour, worth 75c bag. Special barrel $5.47, 24½ lb. sack ... 69c

SUGAR CORN 500 cases White Star brand sweet corn, extra, universally sold at 10c. Special, 3 cans ... 25c, case of 24 cans ... 95c

SWEET PEAS 750 cases Vesper brand sweet wrinkled peas, packed by Norwalk Canning Co., Norwalk, Conn., worth 15c can. Special, 2 cans ... \$1.25, lb. ... 12c

POUND CAKE—Made in our celebrated Daylight Bakery, this quality of goods sold everywhere at 20c to 25c lb., our price, special ... 15c

BROKEN MACARONI 500 boxes choice macaroni, slightly broken, 10-lb. wood box ... 39c

ASPARAGUS Gold Medal brand California asparagus, small, tender stalks with good tips, regular price 15c. Special, dozen ... 12½c

ORANGES 1,000 doz. fancy California navel oranges, sweet and juicy, worth 25c, special doz. ... 11c

FLAVORING EXTRACTS—HAZEL brand, recognized by cooks, purity and strength guaranteed; Vanilla, 2-oz. bottle 25c, all other flavors ... 20c

FRUITS IN BRANDY—HAZEL brand, all selected California whole fruits preserved in brandy; cherries, figs and peaches, quart bottle \$1.25, pint bottle ... 75c

GRATED PINEAPPLE—Extra grated Porto Rican pineapple, first cut, 10c, 2oz. No. 1 cans \$1.10, can ... 10c

MALTA CERES, a brain, brawn and bone building cereal, pkg. ... 6c

TABLE SALT — Milford brand, none better, put up in cotton sacks, 5-lb. sack 30c, 4-lb. ... 5c

OREGON PRUNES—Large well-flavored, selected fruit, about 40 count, worth 12c lbs. special, lb. ... 7c

MAMMOTH OLIVES—All large, meaty olives, no stuffed, worth \$1.25, 40-oz. can, special ... 89c

QUEEN OLIVES—All large, meaty olives, no stuffed, worth \$1.50, 40-oz. can, special ... 98c

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Henry Siegel Co.—Fifth Floor, Hayward Place Side.

Boston American Daily Home Magazine

Fashions for Little Tots Change as Do Styles for Grown Ups, and There Are Many New Suggestions in the Latest

COMPLETE WARDROBE FOR THE BABY

THE NECESSARY ARTICLES OF A NEW BABY'S WARDROBE

1, warm shawl; 2, outdoor wrap; 3, bootees; 4, little house coat; 5, night robe; 6, carriage pillow; 7, bonnet; 8, baby's dress; 9, baby's basket; 10, knitted shirt; 11, white skirt; 12, knitted band; 13, flannel under skirt.

BY GRACE HYMAN

THE very first hint on this subject is, "don't make or buy too many things for the first outfit."

For a first outfit the following things will be necessary:

Six vests.

Three or four long-sleeved vests—for cold weather.

Four webbing bands.

Six nainsook—or silk—day gowns.

A dozen bibs.

Crocheted wool or flannel jackets and boots.

A warm wrapping shawl.

Bonnet, cloak and veil for outdoor wear.

Be careful to provide nothing but the softest wool and flannel for all the inner garments.

Make the garments sufficiently large to fit a good-sized baby. If the clothes are made too small you may be in the uncomfortable fix of finding that they won't go on at all!

Reading from right to left, the illustrations are as follows:

First, a warm shawl made of fine flannel or cashmere, scalloped at the edges and embroidered in one corner.

Second, a pretty cloak, also of cashmere, with a wide, circular collar edged with a ruffle of lace.

Third, knitted bootees, of which there should be several pairs.

The fourth is a short jacket, which baby may wear in the house. Many mothers prefer this model made of cashmere to the old-fashioned knitted ones.

Next comes the plain little night robe made of shaker flannel trimmed only by a little lace at the neck, and fastening down the back.

No. 6 is a pretty embroidered pillow which may be used either in the crib or carriage. And next the baby's dress of fine nainsook or lawn, with round yoke of insertion and lace and a ruffle of embroidery. The bottom of the skirt is finished by rows of tucks and insertion and a ruffle of embroidery.

No. 7 is a snug bonnet tied with strings of some washable silk.

Everything that is necessary for baby's comfort is in the pretty basket, and mothers will save themselves many trials if they will keep it well filled with all the toilet articles baby will need in the process of bathing and dressing.

No. 10 is the warm knitted shirt, and No. 12 the knitted band that every baby must wear close to its body.

No. 11 is a picture of the outside white skirt, and No. 14 the flannel one worn underneath it.

No. 13 is an ideal wrap for warm days or to put over baby when being carried from one room to another so that there is no danger of catching cold.

This is a complete outfit and all that is necessary for any baby.

CLEANS SILVER TEAPOT.

TWICE a week, after using, fill the pot with hot soda water, and let it stand for a couple of hours, and then rinse in plenty of warm water. When the teapot is cleaned outside with plate powder it should also be polished inside, and well rinsed before using. Any silver teapot which is not constantly soaked thus will acquire a sediment on the inside from the tea which is most unwholesome.

A CURE FOR LOW SPIRITS

AN odd recipe, but a wise one, for curing low spirits is well worth attention. It is the following: Take one ounce of the seeds of resolution properly mixed with the oil of good intentions, and infuse into it a large spoonful of the balsam of patience. Distil carefully a composing panacea called cheer-woes, which you will find in every part of the garden of life, growing under the broad leaves of discipline. Gather a handful of the blossoms of hope, season them properly with a syrup made of the balm of Providence, mix it you can get any of the seeds of true friendship put with them, as the most valuable medicine that can be administered. But you must be careful to get the seeds of true friendship, as there is a weed that much resembles it called self-interest, which will spoil the whole preparation. Ingredients, well mixed and faithfully taken, soon cure quite a cure.

Don't Be Content to Do Less Than Your Very Best

By Beatrice Fairfax

IT is sad that so many of us are content with our second best. We reach a certain point, and there we stay, snugly complacent.

Not one in ten of us is making the most of life and its opportunities. Moderate success seems to satisfy us, and we sit back content with ourselves. We could all do better than we are doing if we had the grit and perseverance to keep at it.

The trouble with most of us is that we are always going to do better. We have vague ideas as to the great things we will do, but that is as far as we get.

In the meantime the precious hours are slipping behind us and nothing has been done.

If we live to man's allotted threescore-and-ten years (seventy years) we have 25,550 days to make or to mar. That seems a good many, but can you afford to waste a single day of them?

Already a fair share of those 25,550 days have gone. Instead of living impatient for the hours to pass, we should grudge every flying minute.

Be Alert

SO far, what have you made of your life? If you have married and are bringing up a family of girls and boys you have done a great deal; no woman can do more. But even if you do not marry you can still get a great deal out of life.

If you are still young and have the prospect of marrying you can train yourself to be the kind of woman who will make a good wife and mother.

If you are past the marrying age you can help others and make yourself of use in the world.

No one who lives solely for self can be said to have lived at all. The desire to be of use to others brings out all that is best in one. You must be alert, keen to observe, quick to seize opportunity.

The dreamer lives all by himself, in his rose-colored air castle, he is of no to nobody; the world is not one whit the better for his having lived.

But the world is the better for every man and woman who have bravely and unselfishly done their duty.

Do Your Best

ONE of your duties is to do whatever work you may be engaged in to the best of your ability. It may be uncongenial work, but do it as well as you can. Shirking one thing will never help you to find another.

Try to find some bright spot in every day. If you do one kind action during the day your day has not been wasted.

Do not be self-satisfied; that is fatal to progress of any kind. Before you go to bed to-night think over your day. If you had it to live over again would you spend it just as you have done? Most of us would not. Well, we still have to-morrow, and after to-morrow we live; but we must begin right away. Our lives are such tiny atoms in the vast scheme of eternity, and yet they are everything to us, and it seems incredible that we should not make the most of our brief chance.

No matter how well you do anything, try to do it still better. Don't be satisfied with anything but the very best that you are capable of.

If you feel yourself getting into a rut, try your level best to get out of it as quickly as possible. Remember that this is your chance. The younger you are the more time you have to make something of yourself.

Don't lose your golden opportunity.

IS MAN VAINER THAN WOMAN?

WHETHER men or women are the vainer is a question, and it is a little difficult to say. The scales evenly balanced and to give an unbiassed and unprejudiced opinion. One likes to imagine the sterner sex as above the vanities and pettiness of the world—god-like beings walking in the path of hard endeavor, marching along to perpetual victory, only faintly moved by the feminine joy, too, of victory for the occasion; by the feminine sorrow, a shade too overwhelming, that would hinder them on their way.

Beauty Triumphant

From such a fate in spite of our reputation for guile we women are too fond—over the little things that don't matter. If a girl is good looking she acquiesces in the world that she is well aware of the fact; if her beauty is superior to that of other women, she becomes audacious and crowns her head with some outré piece of millinery that no one else would dare to wear. Her manner is triumphant; she spreads her plumes in the most captivating way, and the new look round her, crying to their hearts: "See, here is some one vainer than we, let us fall at her feet."

How Man Dissimulates

In the beginning all male things were given greater beauty than the female of the same species. The birds of the air, the fishes of the sea, the beast of the jungle! But behold so many contests for superiority that life was in danger of extinction. Out these flies there was an aggression, and when Adam looked on Eve in the Garden of Eden he saw some one more beautiful than himself. Man abdicated, and woman has reigned as Queen of Beauty ever since.

Man can't win, then, by right of election; man is vain by inherited instinct.

Civilization Built on Vanity

But in the Garden man learned dissimulation, and now he hides with perfect success the small fact that the shape of his collars gives him substantial fore part of thought, and the idea of appearing in raiment that has not been stamped with the approval of convention sends a shiver down the spine of his back. If this were not so, surely he would not clothe himself in a stiff, fitting frock coat on a sweltering day in June, nor would he wear with a sense of comfortable ease, and, but for, a sense of saltiness that his soul loves.

Sometimes short of nudity you do meet a man who is brave enough to announce that vanity is his natural equipment. He is a rich man he wears more jewelry than is prescribed by custom, and he is considerably well off. The number of his neckties is as countless as the stars in the sky, while his pants require a boxer to themselves.

Look at it, I think, that vanity has been planted in the human heart for some good and sure purpose. It is vanity alone and simple that leads man to outshine and outstrip his fellows in the desperate hand to hand struggle of life, proving himself to be the best of all, proving himself to be a better man than his neighbors, is at the one and the same time, purely if vanity will prod a man to continual and perpetual effort, for it will lead him to work night and day to prove the sort of stuff that he is made of, for, in the final annihilation of the world is built on vanity—and vanity alone.

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Cook Book Free For Choice Recipes

FANCY ROAST.

PUT one pint oysters, with their liquor, into a sauce pan, and cook until their edges ruffle; take out oysters and plunge into cold water; season with salt, pepper and butter, and pour over buttered toast.

Mrs. L. C. CHANDLER.
Westport Factory, Westport.

MILK TOAST

TOAST the bread carefully, spread with butter and put in shallow dish; put the dish in which the toast will be served. Pour over it a little boiling water if the toast seems dry; cover and place in the oven for a few minutes to steam. A very little water is all that is necessary. Drop a teaspoon of butter into a pan and when hot stir in a teaspoon of flour and cook for a minute. Add slowly a cup of milk, stirring constantly. When slightly thickened add a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt; pour it over the toast and serve.

Mrs. L. C. LACOUTURE.
No. 46 Mechanic street, Fall River.

BAKED ONIONS

PUT six onions in oven and let bake one hour or until soft; then take out and take off outside skins and cut up. Season well with salt pepper and a spoon of olive oil, or butter if preferred, and last two spoons of vinegar. These are very nice and taste different than onions cooked in the usual way. Mrs. L. BERNARDINE.
Box No. 366, Calais, Me.

MUSHROOM SAUCE

IN saucepan brown one tablespoon butter until dark, but not burned; add one tablespoon flour and brown also; add and gradually one cup good stock (beef is best) or hot water and milk until smooth and thick. Season with salt and pepper to taste, and add one cup can mushrooms, two tablespoons chopped mushrooms; simmer five minutes.

MISS SIGRID PALMGREN.
No. 8 Dalton street, Revere.

MARBLE CAKE

WHITE part: Half cup butter, one and one-half cups sugar, one-half cup milk, whites of four eggs, 2¼ cups flour, one teaspoon cream tartar, one-half of soda. Dark part: One cup brown sugar, one-half cup molasses, one-half cup sour milk, one-half cup butter, yolks four eggs, 2¼ cups flour, one-half teaspoon soda, spice to taste.

MRS. HENRY DARCUS.
No. 20 Lowell street, Lawrence.

"THE BRACEBRIDGE DIAMONDS,"

Or The Heart of a Woman"

By Gregory Townsend

CHAPTER LXIV.—(Continued.)

"I SHALL approach the house through the wooded walk," Mosher decided. "I shall strike into the bypath at the head of the walk and thus get around to the servants' quarters and make inquiries."

About a quarter of an hour later his path led him down to the edge of the walk, and he clutched round him warily, pausing for a moment for two ere he advanced further.

Recognized

The solitary spot seemed to be full of the wild sunset glow that quivered brightly amid the thinning foliage of the trees and fell in dappled lights and shadows upon the mossy sward beneath.

A wistful wind rose and fell amid the matted branches; the crisp leaves rustled dreamily, now and then parting with one of their golden members, which floated softly earthward, to swell the withered heaps around the great gnarled trunks.

The measured beat of the waves on the beach fell on Mosher's ear as he still hesitated—why, he hardly could tell—to advance further. Had he heard a faint sound as of a footstep approaching in the distance, or was it but the rustle of the October wind in the withered leaves?

He had paused in the shadow of a great beechtree, but now, hesitating no longer, he emerged from the cover of the arbor, and went rapidly down the sloping bank into the walk. And the moment he did so a girl's figure suddenly confronted him—a figure which had come up from the shore and had kept purposely in the shadow as it approached.

Carl Mueller started violently, with an exclamation of surprise and dismay.

"Miss Creswell!"

The name escaped his lips involuntarily.

Ethel Creswell bowed forward a little and looked fixedly into the man's face.

"Dr. Newell of Boston, I believe, my ing fame? I thought so, I guessed that I could not possibly be mistaken!"

CHAPTER LXV.

A Desperate Move

DR. MUELLER receded a little from Ethel Creswell, involuntarily clenching his right hand upon his walking stick, as if he felt an impulse to defend himself from some enemy's attack.

"I—I fail to understand you," he gasped, after a moment's pause, in which he hastily arranged a desperate plan of action. "You are a stranger to me, although, of course, I guessed that you must be Miss Creswell when I saw you now, from your likeness to your young sister, whom I met recently at Tao Hollow."

"Oh, pray, Dr. Newell, give me credit for ordinary intelligence at least!" Ethel Creswell returned quickly, although her voice was shaking, and so was her slim, tall figure. "You are quite acquainted with you that time in Tarrytown to make any mistake now. I should think, my sister had seen you only once, as you remember, so that you could not, of course, be absolutely certain of your identity."

A limp seemed to rise in Ethel's throat and for a moment she was unable to proceed.

But Mueller was now silent; a chilly pallor was spreading over his face. He looked like an evil spirit detected.

"From what my sister told me I had suspicions, and when Sylvia showed me your photograph I was still more impressed and puzzled," Ethel Creswell resumed, gaining courage as she proceeded. "Your leaving home abruptly on the day of my expected coming and your continued absence during my visit added still further to my misgivings; and at last I decided to come to the root of the matter by means of a little stratagem."

A Girl's Strategy

"I simply pretended to Sylvia that I should have to leave yesterday, and just before the time of my supposed departure arrived I changed my mind and said I'd wait until to-morrow—in the hope of seeing you, I added.

"Well, Dr. Newell, I have seen you, and I am satisfied—satisfied as to your identity, I mean, of course. But I should like very much indeed to know how it comes about that you and Dr. Mueller—Sylvia's brother—are one and the same person."

"When I last saw you, as you thoroughly well remember, you were the guilty lover of your first wife—Pattie Pollard—the wretched creature who either poisoned her or by some other cruelty, or was poisoned by your own hand, as I strongly suspect, I must say!"

Still Mueller was silent, his hand clenched unconsciously around the top of his cane. He was endeavoring to realize this unlooked for situation—endeavoring to decide finally upon his own action in the matter—before he trusted himself to speak again.

At first he had thought of meeting Ethel Creswell's charges with a complete denial and a plea of total ignorance and astonishment; but further reflection caused him to waver in this decision, Ethel Creswell was too certain of her position to be swayed by a childish fear of the kind.

"Dr. Newell's" Record

"I strolled down to the lake shore an hour ago, so as to leave Sylvia and her mother alone together as I naturally suspected Mrs. Thurston, when she called this afternoon, wished for a private talk with her daughter.

"And when I was returning from the beach I saw you coming down the path, and I recognized you at once and kept out of sight until you entered the house. I was horrified at the discovery, Dr. Newell!" Ethel suddenly ended, the forced effort of her voice and manner giving way at last to the scorn that overwhelmed her. "To think that you—you, of all other men alive—should have married Sylvia Thurston!"

She turned away from him as the words passed her lips, walked a few steps down the path, and, with hands clasped together, gazed out on the lake with shocked, distracted eyes. Her thoughts had flashed back in time to a little over three years ago when she had first seen this man, Dr. Newell, or whatever his true name was.

She had gone to Tarrytown to a country rectory to her first nursing case, and during the two weeks of the illness of Miss Treverry, the rector's daughter, she had frequently met Pattie Pollard and "Dr. Newell" together, and Miss Treverry had explained the story of these two to her companion.

Dr. Newell," it appeared, had been staying for nearly a year at the Black Horse Inn, and when he was about to leave some unpleasant scenes occurred there between Pattie Pollard, the innkeeper, and himself, and matters were suddenly hushed up by a hasty marriage between "Dr. Newell" and Pattie Pollard—a pretty girl of her own rather ordinary type, to whom the "Doctor" since his arrival at the inn had been paying considerable attention.

Victim of Poison

Since their marriage, Miss Treverry explained, "Dr. Newell" and his wife had never left the Black Horse Inn, and it was whispered among the few guests that Pattie was an unhappy wife, that her husband was very unkind to her, and that she bitterly repented her marriage.

Listening to this explanation, and watching the flow of color from Miss Treverry's face, Ethel Creswell had taken a strong dislike to the "Doctor," a sentiment which heightened when Ethel became acquainted with Pattie Pollard, and Miss Treverry had explained the story of these two in her companion.

After this day Ethel had frequently during her walks and drives met Pattie Pollard, and in this way made the acquaintance of the "Doctor" also.

She had met him some half-dozen times during her stay at the rectory, and when Agnes Creswell had come for a few days to see her sister Ethel had been introduced, with some school friends, Ethel took her own carriage, and Pattie Pollard and "Dr. Newell" also had met "Dr. Newell."

Two days later Pattie died, and owing to certain peculiar circumstances in connection with her death, a post-mortem examination was made, and it was found that Pattie Pollard—a pretty girl of her own rather ordinary type, to whom the "Doctor" was said to have lived at all. The desire to be of use to others brings out all that is best in one. You must be alert, keen to observe, quick to seize opportunity.

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TOMORROW'S BEST BARGAINS IN BOSTON'S BIG STORES

THAT a penny saved is a penny earned is philosophy that applies with equal force to dollars. The province of women, the conservative element of the race, is to watch that there shall be no waste of either, and just in proportion as she does this wisely is she the good wife and mother. For her guidance the following suggestions are given.

MEYER JONASSON CO. will have an astonishing bargain in the balance of their entire stock of men's fine shirts, sold at a fraction of their actual cost. There are negligee shirts of the finest and the styles exclusive and suitable for next year. They also have a small lot of imported flannel and men's veiling waists, marked $3.75 and $5.50 to close at 95 cents. Be early or you'll be left.

R. H. STEARNS have an offering sure to attract those who have expensive tastes but modest pocketbooks. These are large double bed sheet sheets, 81x90, offered to-morrow for only 45 cents—scarcely two-thirds of their value.

MACDONNELL'S Tremont Temple store offers about 60 boxes of ladies' fine quality linen initial handkerchiefs, six in box, at 50 cents a box. They have never been sold less than 75 cents. This offer is good for Friday only.

DODGE-SPEAR CO. will have in their bargain basement a feature sure to please the thrifty housekeeper. These are large double bed sheet sheets, 81x90, offered to-morrow for only 45 cents—scarcely two-thirds of their value.

BUTLER'S, among their special "Friday only" offerings will have Cutlery sets, 6 each, in handy three cubes to a customer; also women's fast black hose at 8 cents and 12½ cents, values 10 cents and upwards.

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"FRIDAY THE 13TH"

Synopsis.

FRIDAY, THE 13TH, opens with a scene of a terrible panic on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange by Robert Brownley, a broker who uses mysterious methods in handling stocks for Randolph & Randolph, a New York banking firm of integrity.

James Randolph, the head of this firm, and Robert Brownley of Richmond, Va., were graduated together from Harvard College. Then came the firm of Randolph & Randolph, Bob Brownley was given a seat on the exchange, and a few years later paid $25,000 for it.

Randolph married, but Brownley never seemed to wed. Several years passed and Brownley made a small fortune. He refused to join the firm of Randolph & Randolph although pressed by his friend "Jim" to do so.

Beulah, daughter of Judge Lee Sands of Virginia, came to New York to visit and stayed him to get her a position in the Randolph banking firm. Her father, a friend of the Brownleys, had lost a million of his own and more than a million of trust funds.

And six months in which he might retrieve enough to clear the indictment and his beloved daughter, with $60,000, wanted.

Plunge he should and save her father, Brownley, who fell in love with her, readily consented to help her, and she was taken into the Randolph brokerage house as private secretary.

Bob Brownley, three months after the young woman came to New York, agreed to sell Sugar and get the girl a million and a half. Randolph had a million and a million. Bob ran the stock up until he had enough to clear the indictment and Judge Sands. He was telling her when the telephone called him from the other side of the floor of the exchange, which he had plunged into turmoil.

Bob learned that Barry Conant, representing the Sugar Trust and Standard oil, was hammering Sugar down. Bob's buying power was exhausted and he sought to borrow something from the stock he held. Stands by throwing over his stock as fast as he could. With all hope gone Bob resigned himself to a successful defeat by Conant and Brownley could see her in his arms.

Bob had not time that from the wreck he had saved $400,000, but she insisted that her share in the losses would leave her with $300,000 capital. Then Bob scolded Beulah Sands. With but one month remaining of the six in which she might retrieve her father's losses to avoid discovery, Beulah had lost his confidence and feared his success.

Beulah Sands rushed to him and threw her arms about his neck and told him she loved him. Then they talked about the future and agreed that Bob should send a letter from her father in which he commended her to Bob. Time there was any time, if not he wanted to know. Beulah then told how her father had lost his money and the trust money in the Seaboard line through brokers and the "system" after he had fought hard to save the road.

Beulah wrote her father a long letter advising him to prepare himself for bad the Judge Sands would receive this letter on Friday, the 13th. Bob Brownley left the office and told Jim that he was going to soar and that Barry Conant and the "System" were preparing for another killing. Bob told Jim that he was going to "play the fades on the System," but Jim could not understand him. Next day sugar soared and Bob's brokers were busy unloading a grand slaughter of the lambs on the following day, Friday, the 13th.

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CHAPTER V.

THURSDAY, November 12th, will be a memorable day in Wall street. As the posting of the figures of 250 on the game's-closed-till-another-day, the myriad of the tortured souls that are supposed to haunt the treacherous bogs and quicksands of the great Exchange, where lie their earthly hopes, must have prayed with renewed earnestness for its destruction before the morrow.

Never had the Stock Exchange foiled its tents with surer confidence of continuing its victorious march. It had closed with record-breaking total sales to 2071/4 and in the final half-hour carried the whole list of stocks up with it.

In that time, some of the railroads jumped ten points. Sugar closed at the very top and great excitement, with Barry Conant taking all offered.

During the last thirty minutes it had become evident to the hard-working traders and plungers, together with many of the non-professional gamblers, who operated through commission houses, were selling out their stock and coming short over the opening of the Wall Street bookmaker, Friday, the thirteenth of the month.

But it was also evident, with the heavy selling at the close and the stiffness of the price, which had never wavered an block after block was thrown on the market, that some powerful interest as well had taken cognizance of the fact that the morrow was Inauguration day.

For the close, most of the sellers had been granted another five minutes, would have repurchased, even at a loss, what they had sold and would have bought into the pool themselves into a trap. They had until Wednesday in Wall Street between 10 and 3 o'clock.

Some sage has said that the human mind, like the well bucket, can carry only its fill. The Wall Street mind always has its fill of landing dollars. In consequence, there is never room for those other interests that enter the normal mind.

Friday.

Friday, the thirteenth of November, drifted over the Western Island in a cold, moist, narrow-chilling haze, which just missed being rain—one of those New York days that give a healthy suicide renewed courage to cut this mortal coil.

By ten o'clock it had settled down on the Stock Exchange and its surrounding tenements with a clamminess that damped the spirits of the most sanguine.

"No class in the world is so susceptible to atmospheric conditions as stock gamblers. Many a stout-hearted one has been known to postpone the inauguration of a long planned coup merely because the air filled him with the dank chill of superstition.

Because of the expected Sugar prosecution, Stock Exchange members had gathered early; the brokers' offices were crowded to overflowing before the morning papers, not only in New York, but in Boston, Philadelphia and other centres, were filled with stories of the big rise that was to take place in Sugar.

The knowing ones saw the ear-marks of the "System's" grasp-grabbers in these stories, and they knew that this industrious institution had not set up the slight before bedtime of insomnia.

All that remained to a killing, and a terrible one—pointed so plainly that the lambs and Sugar shorts found no hope in the stimulations or the data.

Bob had not been near the office the afternoon before, and as he had not come in by five minutes to ten I decided to go over to the Exchange and see if he were going to mix up in the baiting of the Sugar bears.

I had no special reason for thinking he was interested except his previous operations, particularly his hanging to the Sugar-pool, and doing nothing, for me to force. But it is one of the best-established traditions of stock-gambling that when an operator has been bitten by a rabid stock he is invariably attracted by the same thing afterward that it snows signs of frothing.

More than all, I had those strong nowhere-born-nowhere-cradled intuitions common to those living in the stock-gambling world, which made me feel the creepy shadow of coming events.

As on that day a few weeks before, the crowd was at the Sugar trading post. The excitement was different. There in the centre were Barry Conant and his brokers buying or sell, but not to put up a life or death, no-one-depends-the-result sort.

Those who were long of stock could easily be distinguished by their expressions of joy from the shorts, who had seen the bottom fall out from under what always has been a fertile ground for stock-gambling by which the public brokers and the traders and plungers are handicapped with loaded dice.

In principle, it is a device older than stock exchanges themselves, and is in use elsewhere than on the floor.

For instance, four gamblers, buyers want a particular animal worth $200 at a horse show. Two owners put up the animal, the bidding at $400, and the four, not being up in horse values, are thereby induced to vote for it at between $400 and $500.

But human nature, whether at horse sales or at stock gambling, loves to be "shylocked" as much as the moth loves to play flag with the candle flame.

In five minutes Sugar was selling at 221 and the frantic shorts were grabbing for it as though there were going to be another share put on sale, while Barry Conant and his "push" were more industriously pushing it just beyond their reaching fingertips, either by buying it as fast as it was offered by genuine sellers or by taking that load their own pets threw in.

It was not surprised to see Bob's tall form wedged in the crowd about two-thirds of the way from the centre. Every other active broker was there, too. Even Lyon, Bloomstein and Joe Barnes, who seldom can find time for anything except an hour's Thanksgiving turkey shoot, perhaps to get a chance at killing an "outsider."

Bob was not trading although, on the day before, he never took his eye off Barry Conant. I said to myself: "He is trying to fathom Barry Conant's movements," but for what purpose puzzled me.

The hands of the big clock on the wall showed that trading had been thirty minutes under way and still Barry Conant was pushing up the price. His voice had just come to me for part of 5,000, when, like a flash, sounded through the hall, "Sold!"

It was Bob. He had worked his way to the centre of the crowd and stood facing Barry Conant's movements," but for the broker. Bob was not trading although, on the day before, he never took his eye off Barry Conant. I said to myself: "He is trying to fathom Barry Conant's movements," but for what purpose puzzled me.

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It was Bob. He had worked his way to the centre of the crowd and stood facing Barry Conant. He was not the broker who had taken Barry Conant's call that afternoon a few weeks before. I never saw him look more self-possessed. He was the incarnation of confidence. A cold, cynical smile played around the corners of his mouth as he looked down upon his opponent.

The effect upon Barry Conant was different from that of Bob's call on the day when Beulah Sands's hopes went skyward in dust. It did not rouse him to the fighting desire for the onslaught that he showed then, but seemed to quicken his whole mind to a relentless all-his-cunning.

I think that in that one moment Barry Conant recalled his suspicions of the day before when he had wondered what Bob's presence in the crowd meant, and that he now saw again the picture of Bob on the day when he himself had ditched Bob's treasure.

The Encounter.

He hesitated for just the fraction of a second, while he waved with lightning-like rapidity a set of Sugar signals to his lieutenants. Then he spurred himself for the encounter. "Twenty-five for 5,000."

Cool, cold as the voice of a condemning judge rang Bob's "Sold."

"Twenty-five for 5,000."

"Sold."

"Twenty-five for 5,000."

"Sold."

Their eyes were fixed upon each other, Barry's a defiant glare, in Bob's a compelling pity and contempt.

The roar of the brokers hushed their own bids and offers until it could have been heard. Judge Sands' precious life interest on Friday, the 13th. Bob Brownley could not understand his sugar was going to soar and that Barry Conant and the "System" were preparing for another killing. Bob told Jim that he was going to "play the fades on the System," but Jim could not understand him. Next day sugar soared and Bob's brokers were busy unloading a grand slaughter of the lambs on the following day, Friday, the 13th.

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Barry Conant had met his master.

Whether it was that for the first time in all his wonderful career he realized that the "System" was to meet its Nemesis, or what the cause, none could tell, perhaps not even Conant himself, but a change of emotion caused his olive face for an instant to turn pale and give to it the color of tell-tale gray.

Once more pealed forth "25 for 5,000."

That Bob saw the pallor, that he caught the quiver was evident to all. For an instant his "Sold" rang out, he followed with "5,000 at 24, 25, 26."

Neither Barry Conant nor any of his lieutenants got a "Take it" indicating whether they wanted to or not was an open question. Bob slowly turned his back and dwell just a pendulum swing of one and the 20.

It was as if he were ramrodding those bids sticking by their guns. In the time he passed Barry Conant's notes each "Sold" like piercing "Take it" and "Sold" at "20 for any part of 10,000."

The bid was yet on his lips when Bob's deep voice rang out "Sold."

"Any part of 25,000 at 19, 18, 17, 16." Hell was now loose.

Back and forth, up against down around the room and back and around again the crowd surged for fifteen of the greatest minutes in the New York Stock Exchange's history. Never before or since was such reptile energy developed.

At last from sheer exhaustion there came a ten minutes' lull, which was used in consultation. At the beginning of the fight Sugar was selling at 155, for in that short interval Bob Brownley had run it from 210 to 155, but when the ten minutes had elapsed the stock had worked back to 167.

Reinforced.

Barry Conant had again taken the centre of the floor after which he had quickly handed him by messenger boys and giving orders to his lieutenants. He had evidently received reinforcements from one of renowned orders from his principals.

Many of the faces that framed the inner circle about Bob and Barry Conant were pale, some white as though lost tinted from the pillows, others were on the verge of apoplexy—all strained as though straining the muscles to the limit of life or death verdict.

Barry Conant and Bob had sold more than a hundred thousand shares of Sugar during the fifteen minutes' fight—over four million dollars.

Would the wonder selling or was he through?

Was it short stock, which must be bought back, or long stock: and if long, who had it?

Were the insiders selling out on one another, or were they all fighting together, and under cover of Barry Conant's movements were Carnegie and Standard Oil emptying their bag preparatory to the slaughter of the Washington contingent?

All these questions were rushing through the brains of that crowd of brokers like steam through a boiler, now hot, now cold, but always at high pressure, for upon the correctness of the answers depended the fortune and ruin of those nearest the house.

Even Barry Conant's usually impassive face wore a liege of anxiety.

Once more the only one in the centre of that throng that showed no sign of fear was standing on behind. The calm, cynical smile that had been there since the opening still played around the corners of his mouth as he surveyed the scene in front of his opponent.

All knew now that he was not through. Barry Conant had evidently decided to force the fighting, although more cautiously than before. "Sixty-seven for a thousand."

One of his lieutenants bid 67 for 500, another 67 for 300, and as Bob had not yet shown his intention of meeting their bids, 67 for different amounts was heard all over the crowd.

Bob might have been tossing a mental coin to decide the advisability of buying stock back what he had sold, or might have been adding up the bids as they were made, but he waited for a full minute, a minute which to those tortured minds seemed like an hour.

Then with a wave of his hand, as though delivering a benediction, he swept the circle with a cold blooded, "Sold the lots; done in all."

"Sixty-seven for a thousand."—again Barry Conant's bid.

"Sold."

"Sixty-seven for 5,000."

"Sold."

"Sixty-six for a thousand."

The drop from 5,000 to 1,000 and a dollar a share in Barry Conant's bids was the mortally wounded but still game general's feeling for the fight.

"Any part of 10,000 at 65, 64, 62, 60."

Bob was playing for more game. The entire crowd, all but Barry Conant and his lieutenants, thought he knew completely. Bob's renewal of attack meant that his was the winning side, and the crowd bounded across the room, terror-stricken. Then the unseen engineer sat down in his chair and tried to realize what had happened. Unconsciously he pulled the cuff of waste from his cuff. Instantly he returned to the awful silence that had enveloped him for years. The sound of the machinery came to him as far away; he no longer heard his assistant's curious questions. The truth came to him, at last, and he realized that a new day had dawned for him. Mr. Way rushed home to tell his wife the good news. Then for five years he experimented constantly to put his new discovery to use.

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STRIVE TO IMPROVE SAYS DANE

No. 3, Nelson Series—*"The punch that lands is worth more than a hundred feints that beat the air," says Battling Nelson in the third of the series of remarkable articles he has written especially for the BOSTON AMERICAN. Later Nelson will describe a new race of people discovered in Londin known as the "toffs." His article for to-day follows:*

BY BATTLING NELSON.

I've got a notion that the English fighters have lost their punch because their country has stopped growing.

Everything is old-fashioned over there. The man who lived fifty years ago in England didn't miss many modern advantages. England hasn't kept pace with the times.

They don't do many things over there any better to-day than they did half a century ago.

London Taking on Fat.

London thinks it is growing, too.

It is getting bigger.

But it is like an old man taking on fat.

It would be better if the town went into training and got rid of some of its weight.

The whole country of England I believe has also stopped growing.

With a man as soon as he stops developing he begins to lose ground.

I think it is the same thing with England and some of the other old countries.

They've reached their limit and they are going back.

Every pound they take on from now on is just so much useless, harmful fat.

When a man discovers he has got a punch he starts to develop it.

Every man that ever grew a good, winning punch got it by hard work.

This talk about a man being born with a punch is all wrong.

The power is there, but it is latent.

Fitzsimmons as Example.

Look at Fitzsimmons. All his life he was developing his punch. Suppose he had stopped when he was twenty-five or twenty-eight years old on the theory that a man doesn't grow any more after that. Well, if he had Fits would never have been heard of outside of the bushes of Australia.

There's the straight tip to all of us Americans.

We've got the punch now.

It's the best punch that any nation has ever yet developed.

Every skyscraper is a winning punch.

Every time the census shows that the age limit is increasing there's another punch:

BUT WE'VE GOT TO KEEP ON DEVELOPING

If we stop now we will be in the back-number class in a hundred years. Then there won't be any more American champions. The fellows from South Africa or Australia or Alaska will be showing us stunts just like we're showing them over in England.

The tip is that we ought to go the limit, develop as far as possible before we begin to go back.

Out After Improvement.

The people of this country have always been out after improvement. The old-fashioned things didn't look good to us, so we went out and invented new ones to take their place.

For a long time Americans copied the style of the English fighters.

They were good boxers, and that was all that was thought necessary. Then we began getting new ideas into the game.

We discovered that one good punch, straight out, that lands, is worth fifty feints, which rat-tat-tap—on the air and land nowhere.

The old boxers used to hit hard too, but they telegraphed when they were going to do it and by the time the punch got to its destination there was nobody home. The other fellow had just left.

Then it was up to the Yankees to learn how to hit a new kind of punch.

The fault with the old system was that a boxer had to get "set," that is he had to get into the right position before he could deliver his punch. He had to work his feet with a kind of pas ma la movement. Sometimes if he was going to hit an extra hard biff he shut his eyes just before he whaled away.

Develop New Punch.

The Yankees began practicing new ways to deliver a punch.

Jim Corbett was one of the first to learn it.

Corbett's method was to hit from any old angle without ever drawing back his fist.

ZING!

He shot out his fist like that. It went so fast the other fellow couldn't see it coming.

Perhaps they would have discovered the same thing in England if they had not been so niggardly in their treatment and payment of boxers.

The English fighters don't have the money to train and they can't make the experiments.

The question is, will Americans keep up their improvement so that they will continue to lead the world in boxing the same as in everything else?

I believe that fighters will improve as long as the country generally continues to improve. When this country reaches the height of its development then the fighters will have reached the limit of their punches.

When other countries begin beating us out in inventions, in better methods of living, when they begin to ship more things into this country than we ship out, then I believe that some of these incoming ships will carry men who will beat the best of our fighters.

When He Will Go Back.

They'll have something new in the punch line to show us.

We won't know what it is like until we read the next day how it tumbles us in our pride. And perhaps the next flock of ships that blow in will be ironclads.

"These fellows have lost their punch. If our fighters can lick their fighters, our armies and navies can beat theirs," they will argue.

But it's a cinch that that will be a long time away.

Americans are getting better all of the time.

Its when we get too big, too fat and too lazy that we will begin drifting toward has-been land.

Now, what I am trying to impress on you is this:

When you think you've reached your limit it's time to retire.

When a man says to himself "I can't get any better" he won't win any more battles.

This holds good whether you're a fighter, a doctor, a lawyer, or a traveling salesman.

It doesn't make any difference what you are.

A man's best fights are won when he's growing, when his development is expanded. When he's reached his very best he may win a few fights, but they won't be of the impressive kind.

Has New Comparison.

When I went to school I learned about comparison. I learned about good and better and best.

I've watched things pretty carefully and so far as my business goes the comparison doesn't end with best. It stops there a bit and then goes down hill again. Here's the comparison for a fighter:

Good, better, best; not so good, worse, bum.

Think it over and see if I'm not right. Look at the records of fighters, ball players, athletes in general, or use the same test for business standards.

Here's the tip for all of us:

It's better to be "BETTER" than to be "BEST."

When we're in the "better" class there's something ahead.

Can't Stay Best Long.

When we finally reach the "best" class we're done. We can't stay at "best" long, and it's a short, fast trip back to "bum."

That isn't a pretty word, but it's what they call a fighter who has seen his best days and hasn't saved his money while he had the punch. He's fat and slow and old and battered out, but, as they say, "He's still in the ring."

But if he had any gumption he would have saved his money and he wouldn't need to be "still in the ring."

TYPICAL SCENE IN PRACTICE AT LITTLE ROCK.

CATCHER PETERSON.

"CY" YOUNG.

Taylor Can't Come to Terms With Shortstop

FRED PARENT ON MARKET

BY A. H. C. MITCHELL.

Staff Correspondent of the Boston American.

A. H. C. Mitchell,

Baseball Expert for the Boston American.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 21.—The news that Little Rock trounced Boston at Pine Bluff yesterday is, I think, overshadowed by the news that Freddie Parent is on the market. He and President Taylor cannot agree on terms. Freddie refuses to budge from the amount he asks for his services and Mr. Taylor cannot get him to talk compromise.

A little transaction of two years ago in which the owner of the club feels that he was taken advantage of by the little shortstop, has served to further increase the tension between the player and the magnate. Mr. Taylor has had repeated conferences with Freddie and has found him as stubborn as a mule. The last talk took place this morning and, as they seemed to be getting further apart, it was finally proposed that Parent be placed on the market for a sale or a trade. If Wagner goes along as be has been going he will more than fill the place made vacant by the possible retirement of Parent, for there is still a chance that Freddie and John I. may get together.

This is strictly up to PaParent, however, for Mr. Taylor feels that he has exhausted all the arguments he can bring to bear on the case and will go no further. If the shortstop wants to remain in Boston, and he has confessed that he would rather play there than anywhere else for the same money he must get down off his high horse and be sensible, like every other player on the team.

Wagner Makes Star Play.

There has hardly been a flaw in the play of Wagner since he took his place among the regulars. He looks better the further he goes. He is fielding grandly and is a splendid thrower, using motions a good deal like the old timer, Jack Glasscock who, in his day, was one of the very best in the business. Wagner's batting has been of the best. In yesterday's game at Pine Bluff he knocked out a double and a single, and made a sacrifice in four times up. Also he contributed the star play of the game, when he threw out a man at the plate after taking the ball ten feet to one side.

That game at Pine Bluff was enough to drive a man to drink. In the first place, the boys got up at 6:30 in the morning and then had to wait more than one hour for the train to start. It was a hot, dusty ride of two hours, but things went all right until the teams struck the grounds. There was a little grand stand the size of a band box twenty feet behind the home plate. There was a skin diamond, with white sand over the surface. The outfield looked as though it had been plowed and grass allowed to grow. Our outfielders made no attempt to run after flies that did not come directly at them, for to do so would have been taking great chances with high-priced ball players.

Uncle Cy pitched five innings and let Little Rock down with five hits. The score was tied at 3 to 3 when he retired and Kroh replaced him. What the Travelers did to the youngster was a caution. In the seventh they hammered out four hits for four runs and in the eighth they put in two more hits which, with a wild throw of a bunt, was good for two more tallies. The boys had to stand up all the way in the slow three-mile ride home from the grounds and when they finally reached Little Rock at 7:15 at night they were a pretty tired and disgusted lot of ball players.

Criger in Fine Condition and Full of Ginger.

In the absence of the regulars the other players took two long work-outs at Little Rock. The feature of the two sessions was the work of Lou Criger, who appeared with his team mates for the first time this season. The veteran was full of ginger and whipped them down to second in his old-time style. He said he felt better and was in better baseball condition than he has ever been at this season of the year. It was a treat to see the old fellow work and his presence inspired confidence to the rest of the boys. President Taylor was tickled to death as he watched Criger and this served to put him in good humor after his unsatisfactory talk with Parent.

This afternoon the Bostons will line up against Little Rock for the last game of the series. Big Bill Dinneen will probably be asked to pitch a few innings, although he had a long work-out yesterday in the boiling sun. The thermometer here has ranged around 90 for the past few days, but the players revel in it and would not have it any cooler. They all hope to strike good weather when they move north on Friday.

HAL CHASE HOLDS OUT FOR $1,000 INCREASE

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 21.—Hal Chase, the famous first baseman, whose negotiations for more money if he is to appear in the uniform of the New York Americans this year have set New York fans to talking, blew into Los Angeles yesterday. He came quietly, but it was not long before he was discovered and forced to make the rounds of his old haunts and shake hands with his numerous local friends.

"Just $1,000 now stands in the way of my signing a new contract with the New York team. All this talk that I will give in at the last minute and sign up is nonsense.

"I have bought out a cigar store in San Jose and don't care much whether I play ball this year or not. I'll divide my time between taking care of the business and playing with the little San Jose team."

Chase is here to play with the St. Mary's College team of Oakland.

The last remaining members of the New York Giants left Los Angeles when Secretary Fred M. Knowles, his wife and child, departed at 9:40 over the Southern Pacific for San Antonio, where they will join McGraw and his band of players. Only one incident marred the getaway of the Giants. McGraw lost a valise somewhere between the hotel and depot. The grip belonged to Mrs. McGraw and contained silverware and other valuables to the extent of $200.

A. A. A. HAS SET TO WORK TO BRING ABOUT ERECTION OF SUITABLE SIGN BOARDS

BY. J. C. KERRISON.

The touring committee of the A. A. A., realizing that it has other duties to perform besides caring for the Glidden tour, has set to work to bring about the erection of suitable sign boards along main travelled routes. Each member of the committee has been requested by the chairman of the committee to see what efforts his respective club is making toward the proper posting of such roads. Here in Massachusetts the local clubs have done excellent work in this direction, while the Massachusetts State Automobile Association has taken steps to secure the erection of something like 500 sign boards before the close of the riding season.

The Wachusett Automobile Club, of which but little is heard, has already done a great amount of work in this direction, last year erecting sign boards on all the main roads in its section of the State. The main roads of Massachusetts and, especially those between Boston and Worcester, are well posted, thanks to the efforts of the local clubs and the Automobile Club of America.

The work of the coming months will unquestionably be directed toward posting the roads to the north of Boston, with the idea of giving the mountain tourists the best possible road directions.

The direct road from Boston to Portland is another much travelled highway, and one which has received considerable attention from the motorists throughout the district.

The State association has been particularly active in this matter. Besides having made arrangement for the erection of danger signs it has done a great deal of work toward securing the co-operation of towns and cities in the matter.

If the bill providing for the construction by private capital of a motor highway between Boston and some point in Rhode Island, the road being part and parcel of the motor highway from Boston to New York, meets with the same treatment at the hands of the committee on roads and bridges as have the majority of the measures proposed in favor of the motorists this season, then Massachusetts must be counted out of the game for another year at least.

There seems to be a strong opposition to the scheme, and, judging from what one hears at the State House, the petitioners will be given leave to withdraw. Still there is a lot of work to be accomplished in Rhode Island, Connecticut and New York. When the stretches in those States are completed the Massachusetts legislators cannot very well withhold their sanction to a furtherance of the scheme by the construction of such roads in this State.

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During the recent Automobile Show Frank Ferdinand of the famous Blue Store placed an order for a three-ton Frayer-Miller motor truck with Manager Lewis of the local agency for that car. The truck is to be delivered by April 15, and will thereafter be used in the delivery of goods from the Blue Store.

TEAMS CUT OUT FAST PACE IN ROLLER RACE

THIRD DAY'S STANDING.

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Williams-White	74	2
Hamilton-Merritt	74	2
Holden-Shinkwin	74	2
Burrett-Gendron	74	1
Russell-Russell	73	3
Hamilton, Jr.-Boyle	73	3
Rollins-Croser	70	3

Such terrific speeding on the skating surface as seen in the third night's racing of the big six-day race at the Park Suare Rink was never witnessed in the Hub.

For nearly the whole hour the seven teams were on the floor it was a continual spurt and when the time limit was up a more tired lot of racers were never so glad it was over.

The three leading teams, who had a lap on the field, endeavored to break the tie and had it hot and heavy between themselves for the whole racing period.

From the crack of the pistol there was a sizzling pace set and a succession of jumps, which only the hardy ones could respond to.

Even the star Hamilton was taken with a stitch in the side towards the end of the hour, but was forced to keep on and help out his mate, Merritt.

White and Williams were ever ready with a burst of speed at all stages and kept the others worried. Some of the lower placed teams were forced in the background by the awful pace and lost a lap.

The trouble began at the outset, and the leaders covered over six miles in the first fifteen minutes of racing and before the hour was up had totaled nearly twenty-five, which is remarkable skating for a long distance event.

LEWIS OUTPOINTS CHAMBERS.

NEW YORK, March 21.—Willie Lewis of New York outpointed Eddie Chambers of Philadelphia in their six-round fight at the Sharkey A. C. Lewis was not in the best of fighting condition, but his superior cleverness and punching ability gave him a lead.

JAKE BOULTES ONLY PROMISING RECRUIT

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THOMASVILLE, Ga., March 21.—Jake Boutes, the St. Louis pitcher, is the only one of the Boston National recruits that looks fast enough for major league company. At present this player appears to be a good one, and should compete for the Hub one of the fastest pitching staffs in the business. He has speed to burn, a good assortment of curves, and judging by the small opportunity offered, has plenty of control.

President Dovey now feels satisfied that Sandow Mertes would not be a proper man for Boston. He spiked Manager Tenney several years ago, and the Boston leader has not forgotten it, so there would not be absolute harmony if he joined the club. The management will not increase the salary offered Mertes one cent. The chances are that Sandow will accept the figure, but when he joins the team he will surely get a very chilly reception.

Pitcher Pat Flaherty hurt his right shoulder wrestling with Johnny Bates, and he won't be able to practice for some time. As Flaherty's pitching arm is his left, there is no need of worrying over the injury.

The mercury hovered around the 90 mark yesterday. It was certainly a dog's day, and Catcher Orndorff was bitten in the leg by a canine. Owing to the sultry weather, afternoon practice was cut out.

JOE THOMAS IS AFTER A BOUT WITH RYAN

That Joe Thomas is desirous of earning some coin with his fists is evidenced by the fact that yester, through his manager, Harry Foley, he posted a certified check for $1,000 for a match with either Tommy Ryan or Honey Mellody. Thomas prefers to meet Ryan, who now claims the middleweight championship, and to show his good faith, Thomas will let the $1,000 remain up as a side bet.

Ryan has claimed the title for many years, and within the last week has been issuing challenges to fight Tommy Burns. Burns has not paid any attention to the defi of Ryan, and Thomas is willing to give him a chance to show if he is now possessed of real championship calibre. The last appearance of Ryan was at Rochester, when he met Hugo Kelly in a six-round go which bore all the earmarks of a fake.

If Ryan passes up this offer there is a chance for Honey Mellody to defend his title of welterweight champion. In his two battles with Thomas, Mellody was the eleventh round. The last fight, at Philadelphia, was simply an exercise gallop for Thomas. He had Mellody in bad shape, while the Boston boy could not land any kind of a blow on Thomas. Mellody has made the claim that in both battles they met at catchweights, and the title was not at stake. Thomas claims that he can make the welterweight limit and repeat his victories over the champion. With these two offers it looks as if Thomas will soon get busy.

NEW TROTTER FOR "LOTTA"

LEXINGTON, March 21.—J. W. Smith, agent for Jack Crabtree, and manager of the famous trotting stable of Miss Lotta Crabtree, the former actress, made a flying trip to this city, and left for Boston after leasing the racing qualities of the six-year-old mare Brace Girdle. She is by Tregantle and out of Deborah, by Dictator, second dam the famous brood mare Lady Frank, the dam of Jay Bird, etc. The mare has been in training over the track here, in the stable of Ed Allon, and is said to have a world of speed. She is owned by Dr. T. B. Baton.

PERELLI BEATS BARNES.

WORCESTER, March 21.—John Perelli of New York won two falls from Jim Barnes of Springfield in 21 and 15 minutes, respectively. The men were unevenly matched. Perelli looked to weigh 190 and Barnes 160 pounds.

PROKOS DEFEATS PARKER.

LYNN, March 21.—One of the most closely contested wrestling bouts ever held in this city was pulled off when James Prokos succeeded in twice throwing Harvey Parker of Brockton. The first fall was gained in 25m. 10s., and the second in 12m. 40s. Both falls resulted from half nelson holds.

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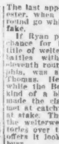

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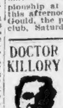

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WANTED—Woman for kitchen, one who speaks French preferred. 161 Mass. av.

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YOUNG GIRL to care for children, good home, wages $2 week. N 475, Boston American.

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AMERICAN WOMAN would like day work such as sweeping, cleaning, restaurant or lodging house work. 1,340½ Tremont st., Roxbury Crossing, MRS. A. CORCORAN.

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A LAUNDRESS, living in the Back Bay wants work, fine shirt waists. N 474, Boston American.

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HOUSEKEEPER, widow, 35, refined, educated, seeks situation in widower's home, small hotel, road house or gentleman's club; inducements must be first-class, to such am prepared to give A1 reference as to character, etc.; nonsensical answers disregarded, self-addressed envelope must accompany reply. GERTRUDE STEVENS (R. F. D., 54), Danbury, Ct.

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HOUSEKEEPER'S POSITION or temporary engagements by widow (young) in good home, with girl, 5, good references. E. W., 47 Norfolk st., Dorchester; tel. Dor. 661-3.

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LADY would like sewing to do at home, suits, shirt waists, plain and fancy underclothing, terms reasonable. C. N., 47 Norfolk st., Dorchester.

MIDDLE-AGED AMERICAN WOMAN wants position as housekeeper for elderly couple or widower, good cook, no washing. Apply by letter only to MRS. WERDEN, 42 Clarendon st., City.

NURSE wants position, best references, would give treatments, chronic case preferred. Tel. Rox. 1895-3. MRS. A. YOUNG, 1,766 Washington st.

PLAIN LAUNDRESS would like washing and ironing to take home or go out, or office cleaning. MRS. LUCY C. CALLOWAY, 93 Jerome st., W. Medford.

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SWEDISH WIDOW, 35, wishes position as housekeeper where she could take girl of 7, widower preferred or would take care of physician's office. MRS. GUSTAFSON, 13 Westminster st., Roxbury.

SITUATION wanted by competent general housework girl; good plain cook and waitress; wages $6. FLORENCE McINNIS, 86 Monument st., Charlestown.

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WANTED—Apartments or offices to clean. ANNIE BROWN, 66 Sawyer st., Roxbury.

WANTED—By a neat young colored girl, afternoon work. Call or address A. SIMMONS, 100 Albion st., city.

WORKING HOUSEKEEPER wants position, competent for any kind of housework, good sewer. M 430, Boston American.

WANTED—Swedish woman would like washing to take home; also plain sewing. MRS. ANDERSON, 62 Bolton st., So. Boston.

WANTED—By Nova Scotia woman, work by the day or hour, good worker, washer, ironer, not afraid of work. Call at 936 Tremont st., 3d floor.

WANTED—Laundry to take home, nice ironer. MRS. J. W. C., 8 Dartmouth pl., suite 2.

YOUNG WOMAN with husband would like to take laundry home, or chambermaid and waiter, or any kind of work. MR. or MRS. PAGE, 18 Piedmont st., city.

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SALE of old material at the navy yard, Brooklyn, N. Y.—There will be sold at the navy yard, Brooklyn, N. Y., material belonging to the navy, condemned as unfit for use therein, consisting of 25,000 pounds (more or less) denim, flannel, cotton and cloth cuttings; the sale will be for cash to the highest bidder by sealed proposals, to be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, March 27, 1907; schedules containing form of proposals and terms of sale can be obtained upon application to the general storekeeper, navy yard, Brooklyn, N. Y. TRUMAN H. NEWBERRY, Assistant Secretary of the Navy. 3-5-07.

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WE PAY from $5 to $15 for geese feather beds; also 20c. to 30c. a lb. for geese feathers, 5c. to 20c. mixed. BOSTON FEATHER CO., Chelsea, Mass.

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FOR SALE—One Brown & Sharpe Universal milling machine; two Brown & Sharpe, No. 4 plain screw machines, fitted for automobile work; one Brown & Sharpe universal grinder; two American Tool Co.'s Fox lathes (Brass workers') 1 5-ft. 1 6-ft. bed; two Pratt & Whitney four spindle sensitive drill presses, double table, one Rockwell annealing and hardening furnace; lot shafting, belting, Brown & Sharpe cutters and tools. JAMES R. M'LEAN CO., 152 Weybosset st., Providence, R. I.

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$1 DOWN, $1 WEEK—Diamonds, watches, jewelry; open an account now; we trust you. LENOX JEWELRY CO., 373 Washington st., room 75.

$18 WALTHAM WATCHES, 15 jewels, 20-year case $9.98, warranted. A. R. GROVER, 128 Washington st.

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DOMESTIC TROUBLES handled promptly anywhere; strictly private; attorney's advice free. ATKINSON LAW OFFICE, room 90, 1 Beacon st., Boston.

DOMESTIC troubles, without everybody knowing, quickly; strictly private; advice free. LAWYER W. L. HOWARD, 47 Court st., Boston.

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SALARIED people, if contemplating bankruptcy, see me. X 450, Boston American.

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Apply to J. DICKERMAN, Agent, 49 North Russell st., Boston.

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Root and Taft—What About TWEED?

Dr. Butler and Others Musn't Forget Root's Original Client When They Talk of Root for the White House

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, the head of Columbia College, is a very intelligent man, and a good man. It is sad that he should be deceived by Root, the cunning hired jackal of Tweed, and of any man able to hire him.

Dr. Butler has recently solemnly said, "Root in the White House and Taft on the Supreme Bench would be a perfect combination."

About the TAFT part of his statement we have nothing much to say. Taft is a good, nice man, and might be serviceable in any place where fat would do as well as brains. He has long proved a gentle buffer or air-cushion for a violent, excitable person. It would not be unreasonable to pay him a salary as one of the numerous judges that the various interests pick out.

But, if Mr. Root is to be put into the White House, WHY NOT MR. TWEED IN THE UNITED STATES TREASURY?

If by any miracle of public stupidity such a man as Root, the hired lawyer of public scoundrels, the man who actually got his dwelling house from the stolen profits of Tweed, could be thought of for the White House, then, BY SOME OTHER MIRACLE, Tweed should be brought from his grave, and put in charge of the treasury of the United States.

Surely, if Root would use what intellect he has defending Tweed, taking Tweed's money, KNOWING TWEED TO BE A THIEF, he would also, with the same working of his peculiar conscience, delight to take his client, Tweed, and turn the people's treasury over to him. If he did not give it to Tweed, he'd give it to some one worse.

We cannot accept Root in the White House without Tweed in the treasury. Anybody who would vote for Root in one place would also be willing to vote for Tweed in the other.

But we can tell Mr. Butler this:

A man with the cunning of Root may get and keep the money of a Tweed. He may get the money of the modern thieves, and do the dirty work for them all. He may be the cunning jackal and tout of every big public scoundrel in the country, BUT HE WILL NEVER GET INTO THE WHITE HOUSE AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

He may get in through the back door or the front door as the cunning adviser of the man in office. He may get the people's money when a President can give it to him of his own will.

BUT HE WILL NEVER GET A DOLLAR FROM THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES AS THEIR REPRESENTATIVE.

The people may not elect geniuses to public office. They may not get men entirely free from sinister influences, BUT THEY WON'T, IF THEY KNOW IT, SELECT AS THE HEAD OF THE UNITED STATES THE MAN SELECTED BY TWEED TO DEFEAT JUSTICE, AND THE MAN SELECTED BY ALL THE BIG PUBLIC SCOUNDRELS TO HELP THEM STEAL THEIR MONEY.

Mr. Root will have to die as he has lived—the paid lawyer of men of the Tweed type, and the occasional office holder put into office IN SPITE OF THE PEOPLE WHO DESPISE HIM.

Mr. Root as Secretary of State may, as he DOES, disgrace the United States and every man in it who never took the pay of a thief. BUT THAT MATTER IS BEYOND THE PEOPLE'S CONTROL. He wouldn't be in that office if the people could help it, and he knows it well in his own dark, well-greased conscience. The people cannot put him out of that office, for things are arranged in such a way as makes it possible to put the cunning lawyer of the thief in an honored position.

But the people can keep Root out of the first place in the country, AND THEY WILL DO IT, AND COULD DO IT IF HE HAD EVERY ROTTEN DOLLAR IN THE UNITED STATES BACK OF HIM.

MONOPOLY LODGE ENTERTAINMENTS

The next number is a humorous moving picture, entitled "They Work While He Dreams."

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Handbook for the Hurried

By Wex Jones

This is the age of handbooks.—Weekly paper.

THIS is no book for "molly-coddles."

The man who is any good as a citizen will camp out for at least four months every year, and this book will tell him how to do it.

In preparing for a trip to the Canadian wilds do not make the mistake of carrying too much baggage.

A light khaki suit, a pair of oxford shoes, two pairs of open-work socks, a pipe and a couple of pounds of tobacco, and a good book, say the "Winning of the West," will be enough.

For grub take a can of roast beef, which is "purer than the thoughts of childhood" since the inspection bill was passed. Bark and leaves can be found in almost every forest and make excellent salads.

A tent is not necessary, but some tenderfeet like to have a covering at night. An extra handkerchief will serve the purpose, a hatpin as ridge-pole.

Once in the wilderness, the hunter must keep on the qui vive for game. Grizzlies are dangerous antagonists for inexperienced citizens, but with a little care they may be overcome.

Wear light boxing gloves when in pursuit of this game and avoid clinches, as the grizzly has an unfair habit of wrestling and hugging to avoid punishment.

Hit your opponent on the head until he is dazed and then carry him back to camp.

Bobcats are also bad things to get into a mix with. Rely upon quick footwork to avoid their jumps, and try to catch them off their guard.

Every morning before breakfast, which is to be eaten at 2:15, practice a sprint of five miles. This is necessary if you are to run down the large Canadian wolf. Soak your hands in alum, as the wolf has sharp teath and you may be scratched when catching him.

Squirrels make good eating. The proper way to capture them is by climbing a tree after the nimble little fellows and chasing them from branch to branch.

When you've chased them to the last branch, you've got them, unless they jump. In this case, run down the tree so quickly that you'll be waiting to catch them before they hit the ground.

Should you be attacked by Indians, give the Carlisle College yell.

The mollycoddle is very likely to be lost in the woods while he is hardening himself to be a useful citizen. In such a case, ask a policeman which car you should take for your camp.

There is nothing more exciting than calling moose. The daring hunter waits behind a tree until the bloodthirsty creature approaches within easy range and then fills it full of lead from a magazine rifle. The principal requisite for this sport is a good memory, as there are 2,000,623 moose in Canada, and none of them will come unless called by its own name.

The Real American

By Charles Fleischer

(RABBI TEMPLE ADATH ISRAEL)

ITALY has decided to celebrate annually the birthday of George Washington.

That act is gracious and fitting, for a name like Washington's belongs to the world. Besides, Italy having produced the man who discovered America, she rightly feels a responsibility for us and a pride in our achievement.

Longfellow, our most American of poets, has told us that all humanity "is hanging breathless on our fate." This high self-conceit, I feel, is not unbecoming to us. In a vital sense it is true that the destiny of mankind is, for the time, bound up in the career of America.

Therefore, I feel that it befits the American to be cosmic in his mental attitude. The typical American should be a nationalistic cosmopolitan, a partisan enthusiast for universal ideals.

There are two reasons for this. First, we are not a people of single stock, but an aggregation of varied human elements. When once we are a nation, we shall be the most hybrid and composite people ever developed. Therefore our nationalism is naturally of cosmopolitan character.

And then, in consecrating ourselves to democracy, we have dedicated ourselves not to a peculiarly and distinctively American doctrine, but to an elemental and universal social principle.

Simply, America is privileged, on a large scale, to be the exponent of and the experimenter with an ideal of human relations which concerns all men.

The Anglo-Saxon deludes himself who imagines that America is or is to become Anglo-Saxon. Again, he deceives himself if he thinks that the typical American is the Anglo-Saxon American.

Also he gives himself needless worry if he fears that America will not be able to "assimilate the foreigner."

I answer, that *AMERICA will be able to assimilate the foreigner, but the ANGLO-SAXON will not.*

The greater part of the agitation for the restriction of immigration is the expression of the Anglo-Saxon's instinct of self-preservation. Unconsciously he fears that he will be swamped by the flood of "foreigners."

It is a useless fear. Physically he is sure of being overwhelmed, and spiritually he is equally sure of survival. Mere numbers of other elements must subordinate the Anglo-Saxon type of American. But the spirit of the Anglo-Saxon, as expressed in Aemrican institutions, will never die in this land.

It is a question whether or when the mixture of many human elements in our country will produce a new type of physical man, to be called THE AMERICAN. If it does, I think we shall have the strongest, hardiest, handsomest human beings which the world has ever seen.

But I do not question the belief that America will witness the blending of the souls of half the peoples of the earth, so that psychically we shall become one nation, neither Anglo-Saxon, nor Celtic, nor Teutonic, nor Gallic, nor Latin, nor Slavic, nor Catholic, nor Protestant, nor Christian, nor Jewish—but simply HUMAN.

THE AMERICAN will be human—broadly, deeply, intensely, cosmically human.

The typical American will be the most human human being ever evolved, the kind whom the Roman poet's maxim will describe: "I consider nothing human foreign to me."

The typical American's spirit will breathe forth also the sentiment of our most modern of great poets, Rudyard Kipling:

Oh, East is East, and West is West, and never the twain shall meet
Till earth and sky stand presently at God's great judgment seat;
But there is neither East nor West, border, nor breed, nor birth,
When two strong men stand face to face, tho' they come from the ends of the earth.

Ne Tempora Mutantur?

By William J. Nagle

WHEN Egypt stretched her sceptre o'er man's bowed and humbled head
And loosed o'er slaves the lash that bit the bone—the game was red!
The golden game of empire piled the pyramids of shame
To bear eternal witness that the race was blind and lame.

II

WHEN Greece forgot her greatness and the watchword Freedom gave
To walk in changing colors o'er the isles from wave to wave,
When galleys creaked with slaves to feed the pride they held in chase
The Beacon of the world became the bale-fire of the race.

III

WHEN sanguine Rome rose red and nodded horror o'er the world,
And stalked the iron fields where his black banners were unfurled,

IV

"O TEMPORA MUTANTUR!" cries the scholar overwise,
Which properly translated means—they change but their disguise.
And even o'er angry desert lands no flower shall ever be tame
O tempora mutantur! we rejoice we are not slaves.
While all these ancient serfs are laughing at us—in their graves!
Raise high his tax and standards—he, too, registered his shame.

E. Z. MARK! OH, E. Z. MARK!

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1. *STRANGER—Mr. Mark, I am a distant relative of Mrs. Mark. I have learned that Mrs. Mark is desirous of becoming a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She, however, has no proof that one of her ancestors was an officer in the Continental Army. I, sir, have here that proof.*

2. *STRANGER—This, sir, is the portrait of our great-grandfather on her mother's side—Colonel Timothy Brown. These glorious relics have been in our family for over one hundred years, and are thoroughly authenticated.*

3. *STRANGER—But misfortune and poverty have overtaken me, and I offer you these precious relics of Mrs. Mark's heroic ancestors for the low price of two hundred dollars.*
MR. E. Z.—By jove! I'll take them. Here are your two hundred. Mrs. Mark will be wild with delight.

4. *MRS. MARK—What! MY ancestor! His sword! Colonel Timothy Brown—on my mother's side! Fought in the American Revolution! E. Z., you addle-pated idiot! This is nothing but a common cavalry sabre and this a chromo portrait of General Anthony Wayne. And, besides my folks all came from Germany not eighty years ago. BAH! BAH!*

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

She Tells About an Experience That Would Seem to Indicate Clairvoyance or Suggestion

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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HERE is a metaphysical study for the various sects of my progressive-minded friends in America.

I have travelled much in America, in Cuba, in Jamaica, in Europe. I have lived for shorter or longer periods of time in hundreds of hotels. Never in all these experiences have I ever been a victim of a thief until now.

Did Not Fear Thieves

I never suggested itself to my mind that robbers or thieves had me in view. I leave hotel doors unlocked and trunks and bags unguarded, to the distraction of my friends. Scores of my acquaintances have expostulated with me on this matter.

They have convinced me over and over again that I was throwing temptation in the way of domestics and risking my own possessions by this lack of care. I would promise myself to do better, but forgot it, and sally forth with unlocked doors and trunks the next hour, and nothing happened to make me see the folly of my conduct.

When I came over to Europe for a somewhat protracted stay I was urged by these friends to use more precaution in these matters.

A Mania of Self-Protection

I FORGOT it on shipboard and in Rotterdam and in The Hague. But suddenly, on arriving at Hotel Amstel, Amsterdam, Holland, I was seized with a *mania of self-protection* against robbers. I locked my doors if I stepped outside; I locked my trunks; I went back after starting out, to be sure I had locked the trunk and the door.

"The Man," accustomed to my wide-open-door methods and lack of precaution, stared in amusement at my new departure. He asked me what had happened, and I said I was only determined that nothing should. I assured him I had become sensible at last. (He smiled, but looked incredulous.)

Yet, *for the first time in my life, I was the victim of a hotel thief.* With the door locked and the key in my pocket, my pretty new travelling gown was stolen from my clothes press closet in Hotel Amstel. Other garments of more value were left, the gown taken. The most expensive and most comfortable of all was mysteriously removed from the room, and detectives and the assistance of the hotel management, and the American Consul all failed to find a trace of it or of the thief.

Now the question presents itself to me. Did *my continued thought of precaution against robbers suggest itself* and cause the act? Or was it a case of clairvoyance on my own part—of foreseeing the proximity of a thief in the hotel?

Did my own sub-conscious mind go out and meet the thought of the thief bent on robbery, and so cause me to lock my doors and trunks without knowing why I did it? Or did the insistence of all my sensible-minded friends produce in me a state of fear of robbery which brought the result by suggestion?

Or did some disembodied friend try to put me on my guard by making me aware that I was in the neighborhood of a thief? If so, why did not this spirit-friend suggest locking the wardrobe door as well, or impel me to intercept the robber?

A Metaphysical Problem

CERTAINLY the incident is more than a mere occurrence. So, never having thought of robbery before, and never having met with a loss, it is most peculiar that this experience should have followed directly upon my sudden resolve to guard myself against thieves. This metaphysical phase of the subject has occurred to my mind to some purpose, since it has served to distract me from the aggravating consciousness of my loss and the inconvenience which resulted.

But all the mental processes I bring to bear on it fail to materialize the garment or discover the thief.

Wherever she was, I am sorry for her. Her hour will come.

Some Lines on Spring

By James J. Montague

WHEN the solemn night-tide found us with the covers tucked around us,
Unsrammatically, but blithely, we were breathing: "Spring has came!"
For the breeze blew mild and mellow, and the moon shone warm and yellow,
And the stars beamed forth benignantly in tiny dots of flame.
"Ha!" we mused. "Us for the barrel where we keep our Spring apparel.
Winter didn't last forever, though we thought it might, at that."
Then, somehow, the deal was shifted, and what time we slept there drifted
Neatly moulded snow heaps under every window in our flat.

SPRING! Outside the wind was whizzing, blizzards busily were blizzing,
Frost was on the foolish crocus and the streets were chock-a-block.
SPRING! Through frenzied financiering pallid panic went careering.
For the rude relapse of Winter froze the water in the stock.
Once a foolish poet person wrote some chic and charming verse on
Welcoming the lovely Springtime when you feel that it is nigh;
But if you are in possession of the commonest discretion,
Keep your welcome dope in moth balls till the first of next July.